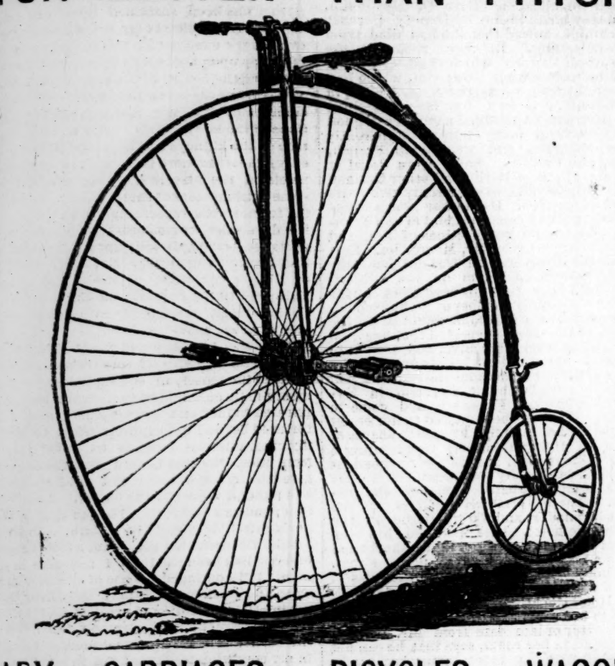
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FOREIGN AFFAIRS.

Bradlaugh's Re-Election to the Commons by No Means Certain.

Fight Between the French and Tunisians—Storms on the Spanish Coast—Cablegrams.

England.

LONDON, April 2.—A public meeting convened by the Freiheit Defense Committee was held at the Socialist Club last night to protest against the seizure of the plant of the Freiheit and the arrest of Herr Most. An Englishman presided and the English edition of the Freiheit was distributed in the room containing an appeal to the Socialists of all nationalities. A resolution passed declaring the arrest of Most and the seizure of the plant of the Freiheit arbitrary, unjust and an act worthy of Russian and German despotism.

The Freiheit will be published as usual during Most's imprisonment. The Daily Telegraph states on the liberal side of the Commons a strong feeling is apparent against the mode in which the prosecution of the Freiheit is being carried on, and this feeling will probably soon find expression.

THE MONETARY CONFERENCE.

LONDON, April 2.—There is the best reason for believing the question is practically closed adversely to British representation at the monetary conference.

THE BRADLAUGH ELECTION.

Rev. Henry Von Ley will contest Northampton against Bradlaugh. He says in an address to the electors, "The man who denies the existence of the wine law-giver is unfit to legislate. The Conservatives will also put up a candidate, consequently the re-election of Bradlaugh is uncertain.

BEACONSFIELD.

LONDON, April 2.—Physicians speak hopefully of Beaconfield's condition.

Algiers.

ALGIERS, April 2.—The engagement between the French troops and Tunisian raiders was on Thursday. It was a very serious affair and lasted eleven hours. Six tribes were engaged. Several other tribes are hesitating. It is believed all those on the frontier are willing to join the aggressors at the first signal. The French troops have been reinforced.

MURDERED BY NATIVES.

ALGIERS, April 2.—Four natives belonging to Col. Flatters' mission of exploration for the Trans-Sahara Railway arrived at Ouargly, Monday last, bringing details of the almost complete annihilation of the expedition by natives.

Russia.

ST. PETERSBURG, April 2.—It is officially announced that the police investigation in regard to the murder of the Czar led to the arrest of a man named Kibaltschitsch, son of a priest, who made a full confession including a statement. He had manufactured bombs similar to those used by the assassin, Russakoff. The order has been issued prohibiting the importation of easily inflammable substances.

Spain.

LONDON, April 2.—There have been severe floods and gales on the Spanish coast of the Mediterranean with considerable destruction of property in Andalusia.

Ireland.

LONDON, April 2.—Twelve baronies in the County of Cork are proclaimed in a state of disturbance.

Austro-Hungary.

VIENNA, March 2.—It is proposed to hold an international conference of jurists to ventilate the question of the right of an asylum for political refugees.

WASHINGTON.

Voorhees-Mahone.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 2.—The Voorhees-Mahone difficulty is virtually ended. Voorhees says he intends to treat any message from Mahone whether it be a challege or otherwise with contempt. Mahone, full of indignation last night, insisted upon challenging Voorhees, but was persuaded by discreet friends that such an act would only injure him. Friends of both Senators ase endeavoring to fix up a mutual explanation for Monday, but neither Voorhees nor Mahone seem inclined that way.

The Republican Senators have been notified to meet in caucus Monday morning at 10 o'clock when the present dead lock will be discussed. The President is desirous to have the fight over the Senate offices postponed until after all the necessary confirmation are made and urges his friends among the Republican Senators. It is reported that the President has determined to pour in nominations upon the Senate and leave the latter body responsible for the failure to confirm. The President's wishes will certainly influence anumber of Senators.

The Demoerats say they have no need for a caucus, as their policy, of continued resistance is determined upon. Conkling can largely control the Republican caucus, but his intimate friends say he is not anxious to postpone the opening of the war with the administration, as he feels confident of his ability now to make a stubborn fight.

A Colored Delegation.

WASHINGTON, April 2.—A delegation of colored men from Baltimore waited upon the President to-day and presented an address asking fuller recognition of the claims of the colored Republicans of Maryland. The President replied briefly. He would examine into the matter; that in appointments to public office the fitness and qualifications of the individual should be considered. The color, whether white or black, could in itself be neither a recommendation or a bar.

White's Resignation.

WASHINGTON, April 2.—The resignation of Andrew D. White, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to Berlin, has been in the hands of the President some time, coupled with a request that a successor be nominated at an early day.

A $100,000 FIRE.

Wagon and Varnish Factories Burned this Morning at Cincinnati.

CINCINNATI, April 2.—At 2 o'clock this morning a fire originated in the central factory of the Robinson Wagon Works, fronting on the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton Railroad, north of Eighth street. Three hundred wagons stored in the yards were soon in a blaze. All the factory buildings were on fire, and the railroad cars on the track were endangered. Two relays of engines were called to the scene. The Robinson wagon factory, a brick structure newly built, sixty by a hundred, five stories high was completely destroyed. Loss from $50,000 to $60,000; partially destroyed. The flames extended to Adam Moore Brothers' Varnish factory, a three-story brick; also the Queen City Varnish factory, a two-story brick, was burned down. Total loss supposed to be $100,000.

Indications.

WASHINGTON, April 2.—For Tennessee and Ohio Valley, warmer, partly cloudy weather, with areas of light snow or rain; southerly to westerly winds and slowly falling barometer. Lower Lake region, partly cloudy and slightly warmer weather, westerly to southerly winds, rising followed by falling barometer and occasional light snow. Upper Lake region, warmer, partly cloudy weather, falling barometer; winds shifting to southeast, with light snow. Upper Mississippi and Lower Missouri Valleys, warmer, southerly to westerly winds, falling barometer, partly cloudy weather, with areas of rain or snow, followed, during Sunday, in Missouri Valley, by rising barometer, with north to west winds.

A WHISKY BOTTLE.

It Tells the Story—Strikes in Detroit.

DETROIT, MICH., April 2.—Strikes among the various trades of this city are becoming more frequent as the season advances, generally for an increase of wages of twenty-five to fifty cents per day. There has been a lock-out for four weeks, which still continues, at the Detroit Stove Works, an extensive establishment, on account of Union men seeking to exclude four non-Union workmen from the shop and then generally undertaking to run the business. The company determined to resist to the utmost this interference.

Henry G. Chapin, aged forty-five, proprietor of the Cairo Advertiser, was found dead near the railroad depot at Lapeer, this State, this morning. A whisky bottle found near him tells the rest of the story.

Probable Murder.

CINCINNATI, April 2.—A Times-Star Fort Wayne, Ind., special says: "James Pierre, a dry goods dealer, has made an assignment. Liabilities, $20,000; assets nominal. The debts are mainly due in Chicago."

A huckster, named Barnett, was found dead in his wagon this morning on the road four miles south of Middletown, Ohio. The appearances indicate murder, but the evidence of crime is not yet established.

Scalded to Death.

NORFOLK, VA., April 2.—By the explosion of a saw-mill at Berkley, Andrew Brown, white, Thomas Creek, Moses Conway and Luke White hurst, colored, were scalded to death. Robert James and Robert Brown, colored, will die. Leamingo Lorenzo Backus and Edward Morton, colored, are badly scalded.

Western Union Directorate.

NEW YORK, April 2.—At a meeting of the directors of the Western Union Telegraph Company to-day, Cornelius Vanderbilt resigned as director and General Eckert was made member of the Executive Committee in place of S. F. Barger, resigned.

Bank Statement.

NEW YORK, April 2.—Loans, decrease, $335,900; specie, decrease, $51,900; legal tenders, decrease, $224,000; deposits, decrease, $91,100; circulation, increase, $83,000; reserve, decrease, $259,125. The banks now hold $1,147,650 in excess of legal requirements.

The O'Leary Tournament.

CHICAGO, April 2.—The O'Leary six-day walking tournament has been postponed and will begin May 14, instead of May 9, to allow some pedestrians a little longer time to train.

The Great Stallion Race.

BOSTON, April 2.—In addition to the entries already made in the great stallion race, Monroe Chief and Bonesetter, of Chicago, have been entered.

The Thaw Begun.

CLEVELAND, April 2.—The snow storm which continued eighty-four hours has ceased, and the thaw has begun.

River Telegrams.

CAIRO, April 2.—Arrived: My Choice, from St. Louis, at 10 p. m.; Jack Frost, from St. Louis, at 10 p. m.; Commonwealth, from St. Louis, at 2 p. m.; Schenck, from New Orleans, at 11 p. m. Departed: Brown, for St. Louis, at 8 p. m.; Jack Frost, for St. Louis, at 2 p. m.; Commonwealth, for Vicksburg, at 5 p. m.; Schenck, for Cincinnati, at noon. Clear and cool.

EVANSVILLE, IND., April 2.—Arrived: James Guthrie, 8 p. m.; P. C. Brazon, 1 p. m.; J. V. Throop, 5 p. m.; J. S. Hopkins, 11 a. m. Departed: Guthrie, Louisville, 11 p. m.; Brown, Cincinnati, 2 a. m. River falling, 20 feet 8 inches. Wind south. Clear.

LOUISVILLE, KY., April 2.—River stationary; 9 feet in canal, 7 feet in chute on falls. Cloudy and cold. Baltic and Bengal Tiger with tows, from Pittsburg; Thos. Sherlock passed up last night, from New Orleans to Cincinnati.

WHEELING, W. VA., April 2.—River 8 feet 6 inches and falling. Departed: Hudson, Pittsburg, 6 a. m.; Buckeye State, Cincinnati, 7 a. m.; Granite State, St. Louis, noon. Weather freezing.

CINCINNATI, April 2.—River 21 feet; stationary. Weather cloudy and cold. Arrived: Montana, Pittsburg.

PITTSBURG, April 2.—River 5 feet 4 inches and falling. Cloudy and cold.

MEMPHIS, April 2.—River falling. Departed: City of Alton, New Orleans.

The Rosicrucians.

The first inkling of a new and particularly mysterious secret organization has leaked out, and society all through the city is agog to learn anything and everything about the order of the Rosicrucians. It seems that in the Germany and Italy of the Middle Ages the alchemists and the devotees of the Black Art banded themselves together into the society of the Rosy Cross. The Illuminati were all possessed of almost infinite knowledge and power, and the society was one of the most important on the continent. It continued to number within its ranks the most prominent scientists in Europe; the great Liebig for instance was an energetic worker within the order. Here in America the society has not heretofore flouished, but it is understood that it has secured a strong foothold in St. Louis and numbers within its ranks a great many of the most prominent citizens of the town. One of the secrets of the order is the far famed elixir vital which makes all the members young, and consequently at the great May Festival, which they have announced, they will all be boys as long as the mask continues. The order will serve as a compliment to the Veiled Prophets, and every spring a gorgeous pageant will crowd the streets of St. Louis with sight-seers just as the Veiled Prophets do in the fall.

The arrangements are being forwarded rapidly to make the May festival an immense success, so far indeed that, even at the present time, it is more than assured.

BELLEVILLE.

At a recent meeting of the congregation of the Presbyterian Church it was decided by an almost unanimous vote to recall Rev. O. S. Thompson to the pastorate of that church.

The Sheep Breeders' Association, of St. Clair county, will hold a meeting at the office of F. E. Scheel this evening. The best means of promoting the interests of the sheep breeders will be thoroughly discussed.

The two-story frame dwelling of Charles Harbest, situated near Caseyville, was totally destroyed by fire last night. The fire was caused by the explosion of a coal oil lamp. The contents of the house, with the exception of a little furniture, was destroyed. Total loss will not exceed $3,000.

John Henry and Charles Jones, after imbibing pretty freely of stimulants last night, entered into a dispute as to the probable election of some of their favorite candidates. The dispute terminated in a fight, in which Jones was decidedly worsted. He had his opponent arraigned before a justice this morning and assessed $5 and costs.

RAFFLE

For the Benefit of St. Luke's Hospital.

A very elegant imported jardiniere, with mechanical singing bird, has been donated for the above charity. Tickets $1 each, for sale at the "Hildreth Printing Company," 407 North Fourth street, where the jardiniere can be seen. As this is a charity that appeals to all denominations, a speedy sale of tickets is anticipated.

THE PARDONING POWER.

An Excellent Electioneering Engine and How It Can Be Used.

Nearly $20,000 in Fines Remitted by Mayor Overstolz to the Bummer Class.

When the Scheme and Charter was adopted which worked so many changes in the city government, and which originally contained a provision ordaining that the Mayor of the City of St. Louis could not be re-elected to that office, it be stowed upon the executive officer the right to go behind the decisions of the police judges and forgive all penalties assessed on any bright day that he felt so inclined. The power really makes the Mayor to St. Louis what the Governor is to the State. It was not originally intended that this power should be used as a high pressure electioneering engine, for according to the original plan the officer exercising this immense political-friend-making authority was not to succeed himself in office. This provision of the Charter, however, mysteriously disappeared and his honor the would-be ten years' mayor, now acts under Section 16 of the charter which is as follows:

He shall, from time to time, give the Assembly information relative to the state of the city, and shall recommend to their consideration such measures as he may deem expedient in the interest of the city. He shall take care that the laws of the State and the ordinances of the city are respected and enforced within the city, and he may remit fines, costs, forfeitures and penalties duly imposed for violation of any ordinance, and shall make a report of the same to the Assembly at every session thereof. He shall have power to appoint a competent person or persons to examine the affairs of any department or departments whenever he shall deem it necessary.

Mayor Overstolz, especially during the last few months, has exercised the pardoning power with unwonted large heartedness—with so much liberality, in fact, that he refuses to let the public know of his good works. When a POST-DISPATCH reporter called at room No. 1 City Hall yesterday and asked to see the remit record, "You can not see it, sir," was the gentle but determined reply that wafted over the railing to the reportorial ear. This caused an explanation that the record was not public property, but that the Mayor was only responsible to the Municipal Assembly, to whom the report was made. The following is all that the last message contains touching this subject, and is calculated to throw great light on the subject, and is remarkably minute in details:

"The pardoning power vested in the Mayor in reference to violations of ordinance causes much trouble and loss of time to the Executive Department. It would be an improvement if it could be wholly or in part transferred to some other branch of the government. During the past year the total number of cases in which remits were ordered was 659, but of course this is only a small part of the number in which, after examination, action was refused. The amount of fines in the cases acted upon was $18,862, but these fines were to a considerable extent partially paid, either in money or by labor in the Work house. The figures given do not include the occasional general releases on the recommendation of the superintendent for the purpose of relieving the institution from over crowding, and which are largely confined to cases in which the fines are nearly cancelled.

Under the head of Police Courts Mayor Overstolz made the following report to the Municipal Assembly last year:

In the First District the total number of cases tried and carried over was 5,283. Amount of fee bills and executions delivered to the Marshal for collection, $50,135. Amount returned satisfied, $10,258. Amount of executions sent to Work-house, $23,213. Amount otherwise returned, $16,692. In the Second District, 5,902 cases were disposed of. The bills, etc., delivered to Marshal, $44,854 75. Amount satisfied, $8,007 75. Sent to Work-house, $30,650. Otherwise returned, $6,797. In the South St. Louis Court there were 336 cases disposed of. Amount of fee bills and executions, $3,881. Satisfied, $1,021. Sent to Work-house, $2,670. Otherwise returned, $170.

In the courts the amount otherwise satisfied, was $23,579, which is principally remits by the Mayor, by the judges and by executions returned nulla bona.

During the past few months the following stays have been granted:

Lewis Mathews, disturbing the peace, $50; stayed in full.

Frank Sheridan, disturbing the peace, $100.

J. J. Richarts, same charge, $25.

John Tobin, 25.

George Heist, a lottery man, $100.

The principal man in the scheme in which this man was employed is a hard Overstolz worker.

Richard Bernhard, disturbing the peace, $25.

Henry Heitzland, same, $25; stayed on costs.

Charles Miller, $30 for same charge; stayed on costs.

Jennie Wilson, charged with keeping a disreputable house, was fined $50 a few days ago, and the fine was stayed in full.

A man was fined fifty dollars a week or two ago for a revolting crime against nature, and his fine was stayed in full after he had paid it over to the City Marshal, who received full instructions to return the full amount.

An error was made yesterday in the case of Madam Griffith, the proprietress of a house. Jack Looney was ascribed the honor of having the fine remitted, but this morning Col. J. R. Claiborne gave the following statement: I was Madam Griffith's attorney. She then lived on Tenth and Locust streets. A prosecution was instituted by the neighbors who wanted her to leave the neighborhood. She was fined $200 by jury in the First District Police Court and the judgment was affirmed in the Court of Criminal Correction. Myself and Col. Armstrong made application to Mayor Overstolz and the fine was reduced to costs. Madame Griffith removed from the neighborhood which was the object of the prosecution. These are the cases that were tried in the First District Police Court and does not include any from the Second District or Carondelet Courts.

POOLS ON THE ELECTION.

How the Betting Men are Putting Their Money.

At Roche's Turf Exchange up to Saturday noon the following was the status of French Mutual ticket sales on the leading local officers to be voted for on Tuesday next, the figures representing the number of tickets sold.

Mayor—Ewing 51, Overstolz, 48; Collector—Hudson 5, McHose 6; Comptroller—Adreon 10, Pepper 4; Register—Berg 7, Tracy 5; Auditor—Smith 7, Luke 6; Marshal—Thomas 10, Slevin 7; Treasurer—Merrill 2, Jennings 5.

Combination tickets sold on Mayor, Collector and Marshal up to the same time were:

Overstolz, McHose, Slevin	12
Overstolz, McHose, Thomas	7
Overstolz, Hudson, Slevin	2
Overstolz, Hudson, Thomas	9
Ewing, McHose, Slevin	4
Ewing, McHose, Thomas	9
Ewing, Hudson, Slevin	3
Ewing, Hudson, Thomas	21
Total tickets on combinations	67

Sales on combination tickets will close on Monday night. Dick Roche has over $7,000 deposited in his hands by private parties, mostly by Republicans, to bet on the ensuing municipal election. Those wishing to invest can be accommodated in almost any manner.

Mr. Murphy's Letter.

ST. LOUIS, March 30, 1881.

Jos. F. McHose, Esq.:

If you will indicate to me how, in any way, I can aid you in your election, I will be glad to do all in my power to assist you. Nothing should be left undone by every Democrat who was a candidate before the Convention, towards allaying any opposition that may exist in the minds of those whose friends failed of success, and who may feel disappointed at the result. Aside from the regard I have for the pledge given the Convention, I am earnestly and sincerely desirous of seeing the Democratic ticket successful next Tuesday.

Accept the assurance of my personal regard for yourself, and my hope that you will be elected. Sincerely Yours

[Signed] M. J. MURPHY.

NOTE.

McHose is and has been for years a clerk in Collector Rosenblatt's office and is nothing but a ward politician.

The Prohibition Ticket.

The Prohibitionists have made up the following ticket, and will have it at the polls on Tuesday:

For Mayor—George Partridge.
For Comptroller—Joseph Campbell.
For Auditor—Emanuel Stover.
For Treasurer—Dr. John S. Moore.
For Register—Robert A. Campbell.
For Collector—George P. Strong.
For Marshal—Jacob J. Jackson.
For Inspector of Weights and Measures—Alexander Longley.
For President of the Board of Public Improvements—John W. Barnes.
For President of the Board of Assessors—Dr. Francis O. Drake.
For President of the Council—William F. Davidson.
For Members of the Council—George F. Savitz, Hugh T. McMurty, Francis Minor, Frederick B. Chamberlain, James V. Majors, Benj. St. James Fry.

The Broken Pledge.

A reporter met Mr. John W. O'Connell this morning, and after a lively little conversation upon the impropriety of printing what he had said the day before yesterday the following conversation was had:

"Did you understand Mr. Francis to pledge that Overstolz would abide by the resolution which the Convention adopted as to Democratic appointees?"

"Most distinctly; Francis faced round to our delegation, and stated as plainly as a man could state anything that Mr. Overstolz' friends pledged for him that he would abide by the resolution. That is what makes me still believe that this breach of faith is the work of the Knapps."

"Well, why does he not deny it then?"

"He dare not; he has to do just what George Knapp tells him to do."

The Sunday Law Pledge.

The nominees of the different parties are now being called upon by a committee of Germans acting for the organization, formed in opposition to the Sunday law last February. The following is a copy of the pledge submitted for signatures. Those who refuse to sign will be reported to the members of the organization and will be scratched on election day:

"I, the undersigned, pledge myself upon my word of honor, and over my signature, in case of my election this spring, to use all my power and influence for the prevention of the restriction of the liberties of American citizens, so long as the exercise of such liberties do not conflict with morality or law."

Card From John McKenna.

ST. LOUIS, April 2, 1881.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

I see by your widely circulated paper that I voted for Overstolz in the Convention. I wish to contradict such statement, as I did not, and, furthermore, that I will vote and work against him at the election. And he who says I did does me injustice and knowing in his heart that he says what he knows to be a lie. JOHN MCKENNA.

Political Notes.

An anti-Overstolz meeting will be held in the Fourth Ward Monday evening. Speeches will be made by Peter L. Foy, T. T. Gantt, A. R. Taylor, H. M. Snyder, John J. McCann and others.

Mr. John F. Risen, of the Twenty-second Ward, is not pleased with the statement of Tom Cullen to the effect that the Work-house will sweep the Ward for Overstolz. He says that there are 394 votes in the Ward and he will wager his head that Overstolz won't get more than a hundred of them.

In our issue of Thursday, under the head of "The secret of the fight against Walsh," reflections were made upon the conduct of friends of Mr. Sam Erskine and Mr. Tracy during the election last fall. Mr. Erskine called upon us to-day and assured us that the statements made in our article with reference to the conduct of his and Mr. Tracy's friends are wholly without foundation. We are satisfied, from Mr. Erskine's past record, that these assurances are according to the facts, and we make this statement to do him and Mr. Tracy justice in the matter.

A FRIGHTFUL DEATH.

The Mangled Body of a Man Found in the Tunnel.

A Ghastly Discovery Made by a Railroad Man This Morning.

A ghastly sight met the gaze of Patrick Joyce, the foreman of a gang of track repairers for the Bridge Company, as he started through the tunnel at 4 o'clock this morning. He was walking along the incoming track on the west side of the tunnel, when his lamp threw a gleam of light on a mangled heap lying between the tracks. A few inches from the rail lay the trunkless body of a man to which one of the legs was attached by the clothing which was almost completely cut. The other leg had been dragged away, and was crushed to a pulp, the bones ground to bits. He notified John Sarsfield, who was at hand, and the trunk and mangled limbs were removed to the Morgue, where Superintendent Heitmeyer made an examination of the effects. The man was about fifty years of age, wore a full brown beard, and was passably well dressed. He had no teeth in the upper jaw, and his face was tanned to a dark brown. In his pockets $4 in money, some keys, letters addressed to Mr. E. P. Ellis, No. 1312 Poplar street, St. Louis, and a claim for bounty made out in the name of Eugene P. Ellis, were found. No. 1312 Poplar street is a boarding-house owned by Mrs. McPheeters. She said a man named Eugene P. Ellis had boarded at her house. The description of the corpse answered that of the man in question. She said his family lived at Emporia, Kas. He had boarded with her for some time, and recently left for Crystal City, Mo., where he followed his trade as a carpenter at the Crystal City Glass Works. He had lately become interested in some patents with a man, but he had been disappointed in the receipts, which did not come up to the expectations of himself and another man who was in partnership with him. He was in want of ready money to carry out his plans, and with this view went to Crystal City to work at his trade. He was expected back in this city March 24, but unaccountably did not arrive. The body was found on the incoming track between Walnut street and Clark avenue, not more than a hundred feet from the open space between Spruce street and Clark avenue, at 4 o'clock this morning. When Joyce discovered the body it was badly mangled and torn, having evidently been dragged along the uneven ground of the tunnel. More than a single train of cars must have passed over the man. How the man reached the point where he met his horrible death is not known. He was not accustomed to drinking, and such a short space of time elapsed between the arrival of the trains at Main street depot and their arrival at Union Depot, that it is almost impossible for the conductors to say whether they missed any one from the cars during that time. Nothing could be learned among the witnesses. At his boarding-house it was not thought that death was anything but an accident. He had encountered no disappointment more than that his investments in patents had not yielded the profits he had expected.

St. Louis Weather.

The last blizzard of the season has hied him away to Manitoba. The thermometer has been steadily rising all over the country since last night. At noon to-day it stood at 40° in St. Louis, against 26° yesterday. As a light south wind has been blowing all day, rain may be expected here by to-morrow.

REPUBLICAN PLANS.

How the Precinct Committeemen Propose to Prevent Frauds.

The Private Conference Held at Turner Hall Last Evening.

A Love Feast With Preetorius and Filley as Chief Participants.

Admission to Turner Hall last evening was obtainable only by postal card, countersigned by a Republican Councilman, and bearing the following:

"You are requested to attend a general meeting of the Ward Committees to be held on Friday evening, April 1, 1881, at 8 o'clock, at Turner Hall, No. 16 South Tenth street, for the purpose of arranging a proper plan of action in the great campaign."

The invitations were designed to reach only the precinct committeemen of the party, but in a gathering of five or six hundred other reputable gentlemen a POST-DISPATCH reporter did not attract any unnecessary attention. The POST-DISPATCH, it may be remarked, was the only newspaper represented at the meeting.

The committeemen who assembled in response to the invitation were leading active Republicans from all the precincts of the several wards and composed the best elements of the white and the colored Republicans. The meeting was called to order by the Chairman of the City Committee, Mr. Pohlman, the Central Committeemen occupying seats on the platform as did also Mr. Ewing, Mr. Hudson, Gen. A. J. Smith, David Powers, Nich Berg, Dr. Preetorius of the Westliche Post and one or two others.

Mr. Pohlman stated the object of the meeting and called upon Dr. Preetorius, who spoke in German, in which he reviewed the political situation and the differences between the respective candidates on the two tickets, and dwelt upon the necessity of infusing into the local government young and fresh blood like that of Mr. Ewing, who had been so closely identified in years past with the commercial interests of St. Louis, and who now held vast material interests here, and was personally concerned with every other large real estate owner in keeping down taxes. Dr. Preetorius urged the support of all the candidates and said that no scratching should be done. He referred to the fairness of the action of the City Convention and the good judgment exhibited by it in its nominations, representing all classes of Republicans, the candidates being representative business men. The ticket compared to better advantage than any city ticket ever brought out by Republicans or Democrats in St. Louis, and was therefore entitled to the support and votes of all interested in the welfare and prosperity of the city.

The Doctor's speech was received with enthusiasm. At its conclusion loud calls were made for Mr. Filley. The chairman, Mr. Pohlman, explained to the meeting that the candidates were present, and he then introduced Mr. Ewing, who made a short speech: Gen. A. J. Smith, no speech-maker, but a good fighter; Mr. Hudson, who explained his position and denied some charges that had been made. David Powers explained how he had reduced the expenses of his office. Nich Berg then spoke briefly.

The Chairman called on Mr. Filley, who made an hour's speech, referring to the fairness of the primaries, the judiciousness of the work of the Convention, the harmony prevailing in the party, and then drew a contrast between the head of the Democratic ticket and the head of the Republican ticket. He dwelt on the firmness of character of Ewing, the experience he had gained in municipal matters while President of the House of Delegates, the ability with which he presided over that body and the respect and friendship he gained from every member, irrespective of party, by reason of his impartiality. This was the source and cause of his immense and irresistible popularity. With reference to Mr. Ewing's age, now forty-two, Mr. Filley said that no objections could be raised: Mr. Ewing was in the prime of life. He, the speaker, had been elected Mayor of St. Louis when only thirty-three years of age. It was a question of ability, integrity and efficiency, and no one who knew Mr. Ewing would doubt he combined all these; he would protect the rights of all the people; he would respect the rights of all Republicans, irrespective of color or previous condition. Mr. Filley alluded to the pledges made by Overstolz in the campaign of 1877. He did this, he said, because it had been publicly stated in a public meeting that Overstolz would give a written pledge that the colored men should be recognized. Overstolz, the speaker said, had given him verbal pledges in 1877, in the presence of witnesses, which he did not execute. The proposition, therefore, on the part of Mr. Overstolz and his friends, indicated that there was some necessity of written pledges. Somebody had been deceived in the past. Therefore a written pledge was necessary. Mr. Filley believed that the man who wouldn't keep his word of honor, given verbally, wouldn't pay any more attention to it if it was in black ink. The people could have no confidence in his promises in the future. Mr. Filley the referred to the purposes of the City Hall ring in certain wards and precincts to be on hand early, before the opening of the polls, and to secure possession of them by selection of judges and clerks; he warned the Republicans to be on hand, too, and meet any such efforts. He alluded to the election of a Republican Mayor at Charleston, Mississippi county, in Southeast Missouri, as indicating that the darkness of that section of the State had been finally broken in upon by Republican light, an indication, he thought, that there was a purpose on the part of Missouri Republicans and liberal minded Democrats to break the vote of the solid South in Southern Missouri, and thereby in a more effective manner invite immigration which that fair and productive section of the State so much needed. One of the most significant points was this, which was well received by the precinct committeemen, that under the law the Republicans were entitled to have a representative in the judges' presence at each polling place, and he impressed upon them the necessity of closely watching the votes. He urged that at each precinct the name of the last man voting and the number of the ticket he voted be made record of and reported to the chairman of the precinct committee and thence to the chairman of the City Committee. The object of this was, he said, to preserve the absolute record of the total number of the votes in each precinct in each ward and in the whole city. These figures would be possessed by the City Committee. This would be a check on voting dead men after the polls closed, or otherwise stuffing the boxes. In case any attempt was made to commit frauds the doors of the penitentiary would be wide open to invite the participants to a residence there. Mr. Filley alluded to the attempt to count out Joe Harris last fall, and of the evident purpose to do it. He believed that the defeat of the present incumbent of the office of City Register, Richard Walsh, was because of the fact that he wouldn't lend himself to the nefarious scheme. Mr. Filley said it was the duty of the Republicans and Democrats who objected to further continuance of Mr. Overstolz as Mayor to vote him on Tuesday a permanent ticket of leave for his health. He had started to go abroad in 1875, and he should be permitted now to make the journey.

Mr. Filley closed his speech with a few remarks to the colored committeemen present which were well received.

After Mr. Filley got through Dr. Preetorius got up and said that he couldn't very well kiss Mr. Filley, as the latter wasn't a woman, but he would extend the right hand of fellowship. The Doctor and Mr. Filley shook hands while the committeemen got up and gave three cheers.

Mr. Manistre made a little speech in defense of Senator Hudson's course in Jefferson City on the bell punch and other questions. The meeting then adjourned.

Against the Kaiser.

The Anti-Overstolz Democrats of the Seventeenth Ward held a rousing meeting last night at the hall on Market street, near Sixteenth. Among the prominent Democrats in attendance were Thos. T. Gantt, Peter L. Foy, Andrew F. Brown, John A. Rich, Dr. Conery, P. McGrath, John J. McCann and many others. Peter L. Foy was elected chairman. Mr. Foy in taking the chair said that Overstolz stood in the attitude of a revolutionary politician, who had the hardihood to repudiate the platform of the Convention which gave him his place upon the ticket. To vote against such a man was no sacrifice of conscience, but rather a duty which Democrats owed to themselves. The third term should be put down, and next Tuesday this would be done effectually. After brief speeches by Messrs. J. J. McCann, Harry Snyder, Phil Taylor and Fred. W. Rohl, Col. Gantt was called for and mounted the platform. He said that he was opposed to Overstolz because he was worse than a third term dose. He was opposed to the present Mayor because the latter was a tripartite agreement man and was the leading spirit in the great gas swindle by which the city had lost enormous sums of money. He would oppose Overstolz at the polls and show the so-called representatives of the Democracy that the party would not endorse the work of corruption. After several other speeches Col. Gantt, from the committee appointed for the purpose, reported the following resolutions which were unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That it is the sense of this meeting, in view of the manner in which Henry Overstolz secured what is claimed as the nomination of the Democracy of St. Louis, and the manner in which he proposes to disregard the platform of the very body which put him in nomination, that the Democratic Central Committee has no warrant for presenting him as the standard-bearer of the Democracy at the ensuing election.

Resolved, That while we prefer an avowed and consistent Republican to a man who only claims to be a Democrat when such a pretense is an admission to office; and while we regard as full of menace the election of the man whom the gas committee recently exposed to the scorn of the citizens of St. Louis, we will not declare it the duty of any Democrat to vote for a Republican Mayor, but will leave every man to act according to his sense of right, so as to save us most effectually from another tripartite agreement to any further surrender of the interests of St. Louis to rings and monopolies.

A motion by Mr. Snyder requesting all the other wards to take similar action to that of the Seventeenth Ward was carried, and the meeting adjourned.

KEW GARDENS.

A Pleasant Day in a Fashionable London Suburb.

From the New York Mail.

Day before yesterday, being in London, I went with my companions (two ladies and a gentleman) to Kew Gardens. After enjoying the gardens we decided to drive over to Richmond, and walked out to select our vehicle. In vain did we look and inquire for anything like a cab-stand, and we began to despair of our proposed jaunt. But at last a liveried officials at the gate of the gardens laid one of his hands confidentially on my shoulder and with the other pointed across the village-green to what he said was the only public carriage in Kew. We could just see it in the hazy distance reposing by the roadside, without horses or driver, and looking as if it had retired from active life forever: and yet I must confess that we hurried our steps in the silly fear that somebody might engage it before us! Having found the carriage we were obliged to hunt up somebody who knew the proprietor of it well enough to grag him forth from his drunken doze in the neighboring tap-room of the "Royal George," or whatever it was. And when he came out he called his vehicle a "fly," said it was a long way to Richmond, and so terrified the ladies by his talk and red face that they were for running away. But you musn't be too particular in a parish with only one public carriage, so we made the best bargain we could and took our seats. We "tipped" the official who revealed to us the existence of the carriage; we tipped the villager who adusted off the driver, and we tipped a man who woke up the old horse and all of us passengers with what was probably the only feather-duster in Kew—and then we started. We were the happiest people on the road. Everybody else owned their own horses and coaches and were racked by anxiety lest we should collide with them. We alone were joyous and free. We staggered through Kew, then along a pretty road to the edge of Richmond Park, then through the manifold beauties of the latter, until finally the only "fly" in Kew was seen waddling along the fashionable streets of Richmond. Our driver, who had favored us all along with his tipsy garrulity, was now more sociable than ever. Once he became suddenly agitated, and, pointing to a glittering equipage ahead of us, he exclaimed: "Do you see the old party sitting on the off side in that coach there?" Yes, we saw her, for it was a lady whom he thus irreverently designated. "Well, she's Lord John Russell's widow." We rode a short distance in this eminent woman's dust, and then turned into a side street and stopped before a low gin-shop. We thought that our conveyance had broken down, but it was only the driver. He left us sitting there in the gaze of as much of Richmond as chose to enjoy the spectacle, while he stepped inside and took a drink. We were indignant at this, but as he owned the only public carriage in Kew, we were obliged to smile approvingly upon him when he came out. What did he give us to compensate for all his deficiencies? The view from the beautiful terrace of Richmond Hill late in the afternoon of a perfect summer's day—one of the loveliest sights in the world. Edward III., Henry VII. and Queen Elizabeth died in Richmond. The poet Thomson and the actor Kean are buried in the parish church there.

Millet's "Angelus."

From the New York Evening Post.

Millet's picture, "The Angelus," which brought the extraordinary price of $32,000 at the Wilson sale last week in Paris, is reproduced; though not very successfully, in Sensier's recently published life of that artist. Two French peasants—a man and a woman—have been digging potatoes, and near them are a wheelbarrow, a basket and a fork. It is evening, and through the glow of the western sky steals the melody of bells from a distant church. With reverently bowed heads the peasants stand, reciting the words, "Angelus domini nuntiavit Mariæ" (the angel of the Lord said unto Mary). Into this work, writes M. Sensier, "Millet put the whole strength of his color. When I saw it for the first time it was almost finished. Millet said to me: 'What do you think of it?' 'It is the Angelus.' I cried. 'It is, indeed. You can hear the bells.' And he added: 'I am contented; you understand it. It is all I ask. Then, my dear fellow, you must try to sell this picture, he said, and he sent it to me in Paris. Arthur Stevens looked at it, came back twenty times to see it, was possessed by it. He offered it to speculators and picture-buyers. Two months passed in visits and bargaining. All his clients hesitated, until a man of taste, M. Van Praet, Belgian Minister, ventured on his representation to buy the 'Angelus.'" All this time—the work was finished in 1859—Miller had been in the distress of extreme poverty, occasionally drawing on the walls of his studio tragic sketches of suicides. The buyer of the "Angelus" last week was a Paris art dealer who, not improbably, was executing an order from this city.

THE NEWSBOY CORPS.

How the Street Gamins Dispose of Their Merchandise.

Sales Running From 160 a Day Down to Less Than One.

There is one class of the population of St. Louis—an important and an all pervading class—of which absolutely nothing is known by the majority of the people. Nothing is known, although the members of this class meet every one, chaff every one, know every one who is worth knowing, and who themselves are to be found everywhere where things are going on and where local history is made. Of course there is only one class in the community which fulfills all of these conditions—the newsboys. The cheerful gamin, with his ready wit and his perfect insouciance and all-pervading philosophy, everybody knows and everybody admires. They are boys who assert their boyhood in spite of circumstance, like the partridges who pick up food with the maternal egg-shell still sticking to them. They are cast early into the struggle for existence, and the little men go manfully at work for themselves, at the same time hewing out all the enjoyment which they can cut from life. The inner life of the street arab is a sealed book to most. What they earn and how they earn it, where they live and how they live—all of these are secrets which they keep to themselves. There are over 200 boys selling the POST-DISPATCH, and doing it with a vim and an energy that makes golden promise of what they will do when they are older and more experienced. This corps has done such a rushing business in the street sales of the paper, and have been collectively so successful, that chiefly as a matter of curiosity a number of prizes were offered the boys, who were divided into classes for the boy selling the most papers. This division naturally made the gamins separate into certain well defined classes according to the number of papers which they had been in the habit of selling, and the announcement made to them excited the liveliest interest. The competition is intense at ordinary times, but the prizes offered made it more than intense. The boys stripped for the race and went in with an acrid desire to win which only boys can feel. The prizes included a fine stem-winding gold watch, a suit of clothes, a silver watch, a handsome pair of opera glasses, a number of hats, half a dozen pairs of shoes, knives and other juvenile treasures calculated to stir the juvenile envy.

In less than forty days the following results were found: John Noonan sold 6,134 papers; Henry Ertel, better known as Dutch Hiney, 3,478, Mike Murphy 3,221. Each of these three boys did excellently, but Noonan took the lead and kept it. It must be remembered, too, that these boys made no special spurt. This represents their average sales throughout the year. They all handle the morning papers also, so it may be seen at a glance how remunerative the business is. While other boys are working for $3 and $4 a week, many of the boys are doing better than that every day of their lives, especially when they add the trade of blacking boots to the liberal profession of disseminating intelligence. None of the boys in this class fell below 3,000.

In the next class C. Newberry sold 2,473, Eddie Boyce 2,262, Willie Kane 1,918, Chris. Stadler 1,667. These are younger boys than those in the class above, and in the number sold none of them fell below 1,450.

The boys of the third division took a boom. Matthew Crowley sold 3,335, Jim Madden 2,975. None of these boys sold less than 1,000. As young Crowley made the greatest improvement of any of the boys the gold watch was awarded to him, and he now wears it with intense pride, all the more proud on account of the contrast which it affords to the miscellaneous suit which is his undress uniform.

In the fourth class Tom Kinney won the silver watch, having sold 1,319 papers in the time. None of the boys of this set sold less than 400.

Last of all comes the wee little toddlers, who are only learning to be be arabs, and who have heretofore taken out less than ten papers a day. Of these Barney Sweeney took the cake, with a record of 1,257 sold, the list being closed with Bernie Kiggan, a wee little tot, who only got rid of thirty-eight papers in the specified time. It is impossible to give more of the names and amounts, but were the facts given it would throw a flood of light upon the class. In what other work can a boy of 8 years make a dollar a day for two hours' work, to say nothing of what he gets for blacking boots and selling the morning papers? Many of these urchins have money saved up, and they have begun to feel before they are well in their teens all the cares and responsibilities of capitalists. Of the two hundred of them who make up the POST-DISPATCH corps there is not one who does not feel himself a useful member of society. There is hardly one of them who will not in the long run distance in the race of life the boys as gators who are being bred up in the schools and who are finding their bread buttered for them. God bless the little savages! Not a man in the town does not feel his heart warm to the valiant little wails as they cheerily tackle the problem of self-support and solve it so successfully.

A Game Artist.

From the Chicago Times.

The famous Belgian artist Verboeckhoven, lately deceased, used to visit in 1855, whenever he had the time, the menagerie of Martin, who was at the time in Ghent, in Belgium, the famous birthplace of John of Gaunt and Emperor Charles V. of Germany. He was there watching and sketching the movements of the wild beasts, chiefly lions. The proprietor of the menagerie, noticing the artist's work, asked him for some of his sketches, allowing him, in exchange, free admission at any time. One day the artist complained of the iron bars of the cage hindering him from obtaining an exact view of the big lion called Nero. Martin jocosely suggested Verboekhoven should accompany him next morning into the lion's cage. The artist accepted at once, with great delight. Now, the proprietor immediately informed the Grand Duke of Saxe-Weimer, who was at the time staying at Ghent, and several prominent citizens of the young artist's intention, and they did not fail to be present on the occasion. At the time appointed Martin led Verboekhoven into the cage of the lion, which received the unwonted visitor with a loud roar, but allowed himself to be quieted by Martin and peaceably lay down. Now Verboekhoven proceeded to draw the animal at leisure. On his leaving the cage he was accosted by the Grand Duke, who congratulated him and expressed a desire of buying the drawing just made. Verboeckven, however, declined parting with it, requested the Grand Duke to certify on the margin of the picture the event he had just witnessed, which was done.

The Northampton Bank Robbery.

From the Springfield (Mass.) Republican.

Another, and perhaps the last, installment of the plundered bank property has been brought from New York and is now safely lodged in the vaults of the old bank, much to the satisfaction of the bank officials and private depositors, most of whom didn't care what became of the robbers if they recovered their property. The securities were brought to Northampton in two large valises at different times and by different officers. The papers are generally in good condition, though a part are quite musty and damp, and the ink has spread on a few, indicating that they have been buried in an earthen vessel most of the time during the past five years. An examination of the documents shows half a million dollars' worth of certificates and other property more than was thought had been taken, which is accounted for mainly by the fact that many private parties deposited parcels without apprising the officers of their value. There was stolen in coupon and registered bonds a face value of $880,000; of certificates of stocks, $500,000; of bills receivable, $250,000; or, in round numbers, more than $1,600,000. The burglars took away with them on the morning of the robbery $12,000 in bills, which was spent at once. It will be remembered that the securities were hidden at the Bridge Street school house for some three weeks, and that the plunder was then taken to New York. $34,000 of United States coupon bonds was next disposed of. There was also $75,000 in railroad bonds and other negotiable property which as yet the bank has not obtained. It is supposed that this, in the parlance of the thieves, has been "spouted" or put up as pledges, and the depositors and bank officials still expect to get a hold on part of this. Part of this $75,000 has been used up since the arrest of Scott and Dunlap in carrying on their defense and in other expenses. These three items make up the total loss of $121,000, which of course does not include the immense bill of costs the bank will have to pay for prosecuting the burglars. Of this amount the bank takes $10,000, and two of the Directors, W. Hillyer and H. R. Hinckley, $42,000 more, so that about one-half of the actual loss falls upon the bank directors. The balance is divided among the twenty-five or more depositors, a few losing the whole amount of their savings, but a majority only a part. The local private depositors have generally called at the bank to take a look at their long lost treasures, and parties out of town have been notified. It is proposed at an early day to send a tabulated statement to each depositors embodying a full financial history of the case. The bank thus gets back nearly $1,500,000. Those who shook their heads when asked to sell their stock in the bank evidently knew what they were talking about, and have made a handsome profit by holding on to the stock.

RUSSIAN WOMEN.

The Part Females Have Played in the History of the Empire.

From the London Times.

Women have played an important part in Russian history, says the Philadelphia Record, from Olge, a wise and able ruler of the embryo empire in the middle of the tenth century, to Catherine II., whose long and brilliant reign of thirty-four years, ending in 1796, exhibits her as the most successful sovereign of Russia since Peter the Great. She was Sophia, a nice of Constantine, the last Byzantine Emperor, and wife of Ivan III., who, toward the close of the fifteenth century, caused her imperial spouse to introduce the arts of civilization into the almost barbarous realm. The good Queen Anastasia, first of the royal Romanoffs, is related to have exercized the most beneficent influence over her husband, Ivan the Terrible. The Grand Duchess Sophia, half sister of Peter the Great, was a singularly able and ambitious woman, and her administration as Princess Regent, though brief, marked a notable epoch in the annals of her country. Catharine I., and afterwards Anna, in the first half of the eighteenth century, were weak enough to allow themselves to be controlled, not unlike many male rulers, by persons of the opposite sex, and they may be regarded rather as administrative figure heads than otherwise. Elizabeth, who reigned from 1740 to 1762 was an empress in fact as well as in name. She dethroned her immediate predecessor after he had been the nominal head of the nation for about a year. During her reign the German party was deprived of the undue influence it had acquired only to abuse it; the Senate was restored to the power assigned to it by Peter the Great, her father, and her career was altogether worthy of her illustrious origin. Her successor, Peter III., was a noteworthy repetition of history, dethroned by his his gifted and energetic consort who, as Catharine II., entered upon a reign whose splendor of achievement and sagacity of governmental methods compare favorably with the career of any monarch the world has ever seen.

The Administration Socially.

Washington Cor. Courier-Journal.

The social side of the new administration is a decided success. The ladies are not required to assume a new role, although their sphere is enlarged. Mrs. Garfield, Mrs. Blaine, Mrs. Windom, Mrs. Hunt, Mrs. MacVeagh, Mrs. Lincoln and Mrs. James are all ladies of good breeding and are perfectly familiar with good society. I have omitted Mrs. Kirkwood because she has not been well enough to receive calls, and may not take any prominent part in the social circle. Her honors have come late in life, and, whereas, she might have enjoyed a Cabinet position, if offered, years ago, now it possesses no charms. The other ladies are comparatively young. These ladies do not suffer from one disadvantage that troubles the President.

We all know how almost impossible it is for a young man to command respect from those who have been his playfellows during childhood and those who have been on easy and familiar terms with him before he acquired fame and position. As Gen. Garfield, the now President, lived in Washington eighteen years, and being of a social and kindly disposition, he had many intimacies and associates that would now be inconsistent with the dignity of the office he holds. Garfield appreciates the high honor of being President. He tries to repress his old inclination to throw his arms around men while talking with them, and also to joke and laugh merrily. He now has to try and shake off some who would like to keep up the old familiarities, and to impress them with the dignity of his exalted position. I have no doubt that it would be an immense relief to him if he could for one day escape from the cares and perplexities of the President, and assuming the old role of Congressman, saunter down to the Capitol and again be one of the lively boys. His friends say he has "a hunted, weary, exhausted looked." One who has known and admired him for years says that he "does not look or act like the same man: that he has changed in manner and appearance, and from the fact that there are so many office-seekers and his friends who take up all of his time that it is quite impossible to obtain an audience with him, far more so than it ever was to see Mr. Hayes, and that unless some way out of it can be devised that his old friends will become as disgusted with the situation as Garfield must be himself."

An Unique Advertisement.

From the New York Tribune.

Patent medicine advertisements usually display such monotonous devotion to the making of extravagant claims, and the relating of miraculous cures, that it is refreshing to find one of entirely different character. A catarrh doctor in a neighboring city closes a circular, which contains not a single "testimonial," with the following tangential flight of rhetoric. When I look at that vast field filled with this nation of the dead, and the bending stones covered with moss, I shed a tear and say: Ignorance ushered thousands there. They sleep under the solemn pines, the sad hemlocks, the tearful willows and the embracing vines. They sleep beneath the shadows of the clouds, careless alike of sunshine or of storm, each in the windowless palace. I have one sentiment for catarrhal people living and dead. Cheers for the living; tears for the dead."

A Faded Beauty.

From the New York Tribune.

The pride of so many London seasons has passed away without even what was left to Adrienne—a memory. Mrs. Langtry is not even spoken of. The great beauty was the portionless daughter of a clergyman in the Channel Islands. Her husband is the son of a shipping agent, whose ships ran between Belfast and Liverpool. He was not brought up to any profession, as he had inherited a very simple patrimony, and been educated to fill the part of a gentleman. But times are altered since old George Langtry's vessels sailed from the Irish to the English port, and what was affluence in those days, although recognized as a comfortable competence, will not support an establishment at the West End, with carriages and horses at command, and such hats and dresses as the world never saw, and such as the eyes of royalty loved to dwell on. Some of the latter cost $750.

NO FATHER.

A Woman's Queer Reason for Committing Suicide.

New York Special to Chicago Times.

The mysterious suicide of Miss Kate Mendheim, at the St. James Hotel, in this city, last evening, has created a great deal of interest, as a little of her history has become known. The reason of her suicide is as yet unknown. Her father and mother died when she was a child, and she was adopted by Mr. Mendheim, of the firm of Unger & Mendheim, real estate brokers of San Francisco, Mr. Mendheim is a bachelor. The girl took his name, and has been known through life, except when she assumed an alias, as Kate O. Mendheim. An autopsy made to-day by Deputy Coroner Goldschmidt showed that she had died from opium-poisoning. In her room at the hotel several bottles which had contained morphine were found. One vial, which had been bought from a druggist named Wise, in Philadelphia, had in it ten large morphine pills. Her trunk contained a number of good silk dresses and many letters, apparently from schoolmates, and written in French, German and English. Some were dated at Paris, and others at Berlin and other German cities. Miss Mendheim was twenty-two years old and unmarried. Her father was a comparatively poor German resident of San Francisco. She had no recollections of him, and she was brought up by Mr, Mendheim. Last summer she discovered he was not her father. She questioned him on the subject, and he told her the circumstances under which she became a member of his household. It appears that she had some doubt as to the accuracy of the story, suspected that her real father and mother were alive, and sought to find them. She could not learn anything of a single relative. She became despondent and dissatisfied with her home life, and in November last left San Francisco and came to this city. Mr. Mendheim placed to her credit in a banking house of San Francisco shares of the Eureka Mining Company representing a market value of $100, and the correspondent of the bank in this city was instructed to pay Miss Mendheim whatever money she required. Three hundred dollars of the fund still remains, and $30 was found in the room at the hotel. Miss Mendheim has been living at different hotels, and for a short time lived in a house on West Fifty-ninth street. At the hotel she represented that she was a married woman. While a guest at the St. Cloud Hotel she attempted suicide by locking herself in her room and turning the gas full on. A letter of late date from Mr. Mendheim, found in her room, says that he can not supply her with any more money because he is in financial straits. She was in the habit of using opium in various forms, but the fact that on Wednesday she tore up several letters supports the theory that her death was not accidental. The voluminous correspondence which she left unlocked throws no light upon her history, nor does it furnish a clue to her motive for self-destruction. The fragments of one of the torn letters have been pieced together satisfactorily enough to make it appear that she had a lover. It is a passionate love letter, and speaks of their soon coming together in a happy home, where she would be in real truth his wife, and where they would live for each other, untrammeled by the conventionalities of society. On the next page the writer speaks of a trip to Chicago, where he expected to be on March 15. He requests Miss Mendheim to meet him there, if possible to go to the Grand Pacific Hotel, register as Mrs. K., and say that she was expecting her husband. The signature to the letter can not be found.

Speak English, Pray!

From the New York Sun.

There was severity in the words, and in the sound of them, as they were turned upon the proprietor of the London Telegraph by the editor of the London Truth, in court a few days ago. Mr. Labouchere, when cross-examining Mr. Lawson in the libel suit that has been amusing Englishmen during the past fortnight, had put a question, in the answer to which Mr. Lawson spoke of "his father and his *entourage*." "Speak English, pray!" cried Mr. Labouchere as the French word struck his ear.

The words of the London editor have a Shakspearean ring about them. It is good advice. The speakers and writers of English should keep within the English lines. There are words in our language for all the thoughts of every man who is intellectually sane. It is rich in words of thinking, feeling and description. What notion ever grew in your head, what thing have you ever seen with your eye, that you could not tell of in English?

Mr. Labouchere's advice is good for editors. It is good for the editor of the World, who, knowing many languages, is apt to jump over the English at times. It is good for all those reporters who are apt to think a French or Latin word has a neat look in their sketches.

It is good advice for college professors and school teachers to give their students and scholars, and to keep to themselves. Speak English, pray!

It is good advice for preachers. Those of us who were so happy as to hear the sermons of that able and eccentric man, the late Rev. Dr. Samuel Hanson Cox, can never forget the pedantic way his learning was shown through many languages, in his pulpit, or the effect it had, at times, upon his hearers. Had Mr. Labouchere's advice been addressed to him, we can imagine the polyglottery of the answer that would have confounded the London editor. There is no such preacher as Dr. Cox now, so far as we are aware. The great men of the pulpit, like Brother Talmage, the Rev. Dr. McGlynn, and the Rev. Mr. Pullman, find words enough for their thoughts in the English language.

It is good advice for book writers, including novelists. We have seen a novel, presumed to be in the English tongue, nearly every page of which was sprinkled with words of other languages, not to be understood by one in a hundred of the novel's readers. The writer of it was a woman.

It is good advice for all sorts and conditions of men whose native speech is the English. Speak English, pray!

Naval Matinees.

From the Boston Herald.

The steamer Parisian of the Allan Line is lying in Boston harbor. She is one of the magnificent new vessels recently described in our columns, and the owners have taken a neat advantage of the public curiosity in regard to her. At Boston an admission fee of ten cents was charged for visitors and the proceeds of the exhibition are to be handed over to the poor of the city. On Saturday there were no less than 9,000 visitors; and it is expected that when the steamer sails on Thursday her commander will be able to present $2,500 to Mayor Prince for distribution. At Halifax the same plan will be put in operation. It saves the vessel from too great a crush of sight-seers and serves a benevolent purpose at the same time.

What's in a Name?

From the London Sporting Times.

In the Pimlico district there is a waiter who rejoices in the unsavory patronymic of Buggs. Now, Buggs being an excellent waiter, he is in great request among the Phalleians, but their aristocratic tendencies will not allow them to call him by that name, so they invent one for him. It so happened one day that a leader of society there gave a party. Naturally she called the great Buggs to her aid, and also she naturally rechristened him De Vignes. De Vignes was to stand at the foot of the stairs while the hostess remained at the head to receive the guests. Imagine the lady's horror at hearing each successive guest address the august Buggs—I mean De Vignes—in some such way as follows: "Ah, Granville, you here?" "Good evening, Montmorence;" "Glad to see you, Vavasseur;" "Take my coat, Adalbert;" "You here, Desborough?" etc.

The Second Article of Export.

Last year was Petroleum, which does not surprise many people, but every one who visits Simmons Hardware Company are surprised at their immense stock and *exceedingly low prices.*

THEY ARE IN EARNEST,

And They Have Good Reason to Be on Account of What Has Been Done.

The Remarkable Statements of Some Reliable Residents of St. Louis.

The influence of the present severe winter on the resources of the West cannot readily be estimated, but that a material loss of a serious nature has been sustained there can be no doubt. A question of far more moment, however, is the effect which this changing inclemency has upon the human system and how it is affecting the health of the community. There probably never was a time when colds were so common or when they attacked such vital portions of the body. This seems to be specially true of the kidneys and liver, and it is undoubtedly a fact that more than half the people one meets on the streets daily are troubled with some derangement of these organs. In searching for news the representative of the press, a few days since, came across some facts of importance bearing directly upon this subject and they are given herewith. Mr. J. M. Ward, one of the proprietors of the Grand Central European Hotel, opposite the Union Depot, on Poplar street, related his experience to the man of news, as follows:

"You see, I have found many things about this climate and locality very trying and I have suffered immensely in consequence. My ailment finally culminated in a severe and complicated kidney and liver disease, and I was tortured beyond description, while to add to my other miseries I began to suffer terribly from piles. Nothing I could procure seemed to give me any relief, although I used medicines and mineral waters by the barrel. About this time, and as a last resort, I began taking Warner's Safe Kidney and Liver Cure. Even the first bottle benefitted me, and before the second one had been used up I felt like a new man. I discontinued the use of all other medicines and stuck to the Kidney and Liver Cure, paying strict attention to my diet and following the instructions as given on the label on the bottle. The result of that medicine is seen in my condition to-day. I am in good health, free from all aches and pains, and never felt better in my life. My kidneys and liver are perfectly sound and I have never been troubled with the piles since I began taking this medicine."

"Do you know of any other instances, Mr. Ward, in which people have been cured by using this medicine?"

"Yes, sir; my sister has received great benefit from its use. She was even a greater sufferer than myself, and for years was unable to get any relief. She tried the Safe Kidney and Liver Cure; her health began to improve at once and now she is as well as she ever was in her life. Mr. Harris, a clerk of mine, who was afflicted like myself although in a more aggravated form, has been taking the medicine with grand results. I have also recommended it to many of the conductors leaving this point and they all speak of it in the highest possible terms."

"Now, Mr. Ward, would you be willing to put your name to such a statement as you have just made me, knowing that the same would be given publicly through the newspapers?"

"Yes, sir, I wish you would publish this interview and write it so that all my friends (and I have a host of them) will know that it is J. M. Ward who is talking to them, for I want them to know, if there are any among them suffering from kidney, liver or urinary difficulties, that Warner's Safe Kidney and Liver Cure will cure them, as I know from personal experience that it will do all that is claimed for it and more too."

Mr. Ward having stated that his clerk, Mr. H. W. Harris, had been taking the medicine, the reporter called upon him. He was found in the office of the hotel, and upon stating that the writer had been referred to him by Mr. Ward as a gentleman who had been cured by using Dr. Warner's Safe Kidney and Liver Cure, he replied:

"Mr. Ward is right; I have been cured by Warner's Safe Kidney and Liver Cure, and that, too, of a very severe case of catarrh of the bladder, and also of stricture. It is useless for me to tell you of the many disagreeable things connected with such a complication of troubles. Only they who are afflicted can appreciate the intense sufferings undergone, and they alone know that death would be a relief. All that I can say, sir, is that what I regarded as an incurable disease has been eradicated from my system, and I am at this moment as well as I ever was in my life. I know also that this change in my condition has been brought about by the use of Warner's Safe Kidney and Liver Cure, and it certainly is a most wonderful medicine. I intended to write Mr. Warner all about my case and give him a testimonial for publication, for I consider it a duty I owe to mankind to let every one know that there is a positive cure for these terrible diseases of the kidneys, liver and urinary organs.

"If you wish to publish what I have just said to you, you are at liberty to do so, and you may also add that if any one desires to communicate with me, either in person or by letter, regarding the statements which I have made you, they will find me at the Grand Central Hotel, near the Union Depot, where I shall be ready at all times to give the complete details concerning my wonderful cure."

A visit was next made to Mr. John Lady, at 305 Olive street, who in answer to the query as to whether he had been using Warner's Safe Kidney and Liver Cure, replied that he had not, but that his wife had, and was now using it with very good results. He expressed a desire that the scribe should call upon his wife at 1309 Washington avenue. A call was accordingly made, and the newspaper man found a most estimable and cultured lady, who was willing to converse freely concerning her trouble. She stated that for a number of years she had been under the treatment of the most skillful physicians in the city for catarrh of the bladder, and had been told by them that she could live but a short time. Her nervous system was so affected by the disease, which originated in the kidneys, that she could not sleep more than fifteen minutes at a time. Mrs. Lady said in conclusion:

"I am taking Warner's Safe Kidney and Liver Cure and with marked benefit, and I firmly believe that I shall entirely recover. I shall continue its use, and I am positive I shall soon be able to report a radical cure."

Mr. L. Flacheneker, grocer, at 2861 Washington avenue, was then visited. Mr. Flacheneker, said that he had used Warner's Safe Kidney and Liver Cure, and had received almost instant benefits. "I have been a long and constant sufferer," he added, "but have at last found a medicine that will cure me, and that is Warner's Safe Kidney and Liver Cure."

A call was then made at the residence of Mr. Bernhard Klein, No. 1421 Dillon street. Mr. Klein stated that for years he had suffered from most serious kidney troubles, which at last culminated in Bright's Disease, and became so alarming as to swell his stomach to enormous proportions and cause such intense agony that for four days and nights he could not sleep at all. His illness was so great that he was compelled to dispose of his business, and only looked forward to death. He accidentally heard of Warner's Safe Kidney and Liver Cure, began its use and is in enjoyment of as good health as any man in St. Louis. Mr. Klein said "I have spent nearly $5,000 in doctor's fees, and have tried hundreds of remedies, but I am well and have felt so happy over my wonderful recovery that I made a speech in one of the societies to which I belong in praise of Warner's Safe Kidney and Liver Cure."

The last call made by the writer was upon Mrs. Caroline F. Fleming, whose art studio is in the Lindell Hotel. Mrs. Fleming said:

"I have been troubled with kidney disease since my childhood, and it finally culminated in chronic catarrh of the bladder. It would be impossible for me to describe how much I have suffered, and I had abandoned all hope of ever being cured. I was recommended to try Warner's Safe Kidney and Liver Cure, and it has done me more good than the combined skill of all the physicians I have ever tried during my entire life."

The impression produced upon the mind of the writer by the earnest and sincere manner of Mrs. Fleming was very powerful, and fixed the conclusion which the preceding testimonials had awakened. That conclusion, which every candid reader will admit, is as follows: First, that kidney, liver and bladder diseases have greatly increased in this country within the past few years; and secondly, that a remedy which has proven so valuable in so many serious cases may be considered a blessing to the thousands who are suffering from some of these terrible diseases. The influences of our climate, the condition of civilization, and the general tendency of the age demand that people should be on their guard and seek to preserve, by that means which has been proven the most efficient, that good health which is the privilege of all.

THE SLOP CONTRACT.

A Review of the History of This Nefarious Job.

How the City Has Paid for the Support of the First Ward.

The slop contract is still as it has been since August last, a monument to the political records of the present city administration. The work is still, as it has been for half a year past, being done by a shrewd politician without a contract, without anything but an agreement with Mr. Overstolz' man Friday, Mr. Francis, and done, too, in open violation of the law. The whole history of the contract, or the absence of contract rather, illustrates the methods of the present administration admirably. In fact, there is a sort of putrid phosphorescence about the job which throw a blue glare on half a dozen honorable gentlemen who are now posing prominently before the public. To recite the facts in the case is almost a matter of public duty at the present time. Nearly five years ago the Board of Health of the city of St. Louis, or more properly the de facto Board of Health of the city of St. Louis, found a man who united in one good-natured person all of those qualities which go to form the model slop-contractor. He was diligent, trustworthy and efficient, and besides all of these he had a further charm which made Mr. Francis absolutely love him—namely, he had a brother-in-law who slapped the First Ward every time he struck his left pants pocket. Of course a man who unites all these qualities is worth more money to an administration than a man who is without any ward, and he should be encouraged. He was encouraged by the award of the slop contract over half a dozen bidders who tried to keep him from making an honest living by bidding under him. The First Ward was held down, and then came the time last August for the award of the contract again, when as the contractor had laid up treasures in heaven he naturally looked for his reward. In utter and open violation of the law, and in defiance to public opinion as voiced by the press, the Health Commissioner attempted to give the job to the old contractor again. In this he was foiled, and then began one of the most pitiable displays of administrative jugglery the city of St. Louis has ever been called upon to witness. Mr. Francis could not give the contract to the old contractor at $4,000 a year more than another man offered to do the work for. The City Counselor declared that the lowest bidder must have the contract; the public demanded that the lowest bidder must have the contract. It was held by the outsiders that even if one man could put on $4,000 worth of frills more than another man in the year in collecting garbage, the city had better get along with less finish and execution, and apply the money to the improvement of the Insane Asylum, and the relief of the congested condition of the Poor House. Mr. Francis recognized this impossibility, but on the other hand there was the First Ward. If there is anything which the First Ward must have it is pap, and if the administration wanted the b'hoys in the spring it would have to put up in the interim. They knew nothing about public opinion or the law; their ultimatum was that brother-in-law Jim must have the slop contract. And just here the Health Commissioner began to show what a consummate ward statesman he was. Delay till after the election was what he played for, and he has won it. A provisional arrangement was made by which the contractor got $900 a year more than he asked and $4,000 more than another man offered to do the work for, and by a dextrous manipulation of the House of Delegates an award of the contract was fought off until after the election. This delay was simply a bold and high-handed overriding of the law, and the POST-DISPATCH has again and again called public attention to the job which was being worked. It predicted as long ago as last September that the contract would not be awarded until after the spring election, and that prediction has held true. As soon as the election is over it will probably happen that this solemn farce will end, the curtain will be rung down and the slop contract will be let upon those business principles which Mr. Overstolz claims to be his guiding constellation.

A MOST delicious cigarette is the Opera Puff, which will not stick to the lips.

ABOUT THE FASHIONS.

Gossip for the Ladies—New Designs in Spring and Summer Wear.

From Harpers' Bazar.

Fine, soft woolen stuffs that drape gracefully, and are precisely what they appear to be, are now chosen for spring and summer dresses in preference to silks that are more showy, but are too seldom genuine.

The French buntings and nuns' veiling were the first steps toward an improvement in wool goods that has resulted in producing several sheer fabrics as thin as grenadine and as soft and pliable as mull muslin, yet made entirely of wool. These will be worn throughout the summer for afternoon dresses, and are now used for simple toilets on full-dress occasions; they are made up over silk, which is nowhere allowed to appear, but merely serves as a foundation, and their dull surface is brightened with trimmings of the sheeny satin marveilleux, embroidery and lace. The newest of these wool muslins has tiny spots, dots or diamonds of embroidery in silk all over it; the dots are the same tint as the wool, and this comes in faintest tints of blue, cream and rose, with also pure white; it is single width and $2 25 a yard. A similar white wool fabric has white satin stripes, some of which are nearly two inches wide and others only half an inch; this is costly, however, and will be chosen for evening dresses, but there are beautiful sheer wools in double width as low as $1 per yard. Instead of borders there are open-worked lace and applique designs wrought on the selvedges of fine black or white nuns' veiling to serve as trimmings for the overdress; these are expensive, because the price of trimming is included, and are so fine that the plain nuns' veiling to combine with them is $3 a yard. The Algerienne striped wools are lower priced, and will make youthful-looking dresses for summer afternoon; the satin stripes are horizontal, and the double-width stuff is $1 75. Many of these soft wool goods are not folded down the middle, although they are very wide—measuring forty-four to forty-eight inches; as the creased line defaces the width, they are rolled their whole width to avoid being marked.

In heavier wool goods the novelty is the introduction of gay lengthwise stripes down half of the fabric, while the other half is a solid color. This is utilized for over-skirts that are now striped around the figure, and give bayadere effects; the stripes are also plaited around the lower skirt. Bayonaise, which is harder twisted than the wool buntings, is shown in plain, striped and bordered patterns. Soft shades of drab, tan-colors and all Quaker-like hues are shown in fine wool stuffs to be combined with other striped woolens that have a great deal of dark green, olive and some gilt threads introduced. The beige and creamy shades of last season are very much deepened in new goods, and instead of old gold the phrase new gold is heard, while the dull yellow are brightened to jonquil shades. The fancy beige checks and the cheviots with slight illuminations of red and yellow have already been mentioned as the choice for early spring suits and for travling dresses. While all these stuffs have the sheer flannel weaving, twilled goods are by no means given up. Boxes containing each a dress pattern of twilled wool of some quiet shade, and gay bayadere-striped wool for combining with it, are arranged in stylish colorings that would not occur to the unpracticed eye. Almond, olive, drab and green tinted blues are for the plain parts of the dress, while the striped parts are dark with very gay illuminations; such patterns are $22 and upward.

HAND PAINTED AND METALLIC GOODS.

Cashmere dress patterns, with the front and the borders painted by hand, are among the exceptional novelties that are too expensive to be generally used. Almond, sky-blue and dark condor brown are the prevailing colors for these dresses; the painting represents large flowers, fleur-de-lis, tulips and much foliage, and there are colored beads introduced in the flowers.

The metal-woven fabrics are also expensive novelties, and consist of silver net flounces wrought with satin applique figures, or else black and silver metal with baptiste designs for borders. Grenadines that look like transparent cloth of gold come in block patterns, with raised velvet figures of dark green, red, black or cream color.

THE public is cautioned to purchase only Conrad's original Budweiser, bearing the red neck label and United States trade-mark.

Hotel Arrivals.

Dr. Milburn, Jacksonville, Ill., is at the Lindell.

E. F. Sisson, Chattanooga, Tenn., is at the Laclede.

John I. Sabin, of San Francisco, is stopping at the Lindell.

Geo. H. Varnell, Mayor of Mt. Vernon, Ill., is at the Laclede.

B. Fenton Buffalo, N. Y., is registered at the Planters' House.

S. T. Smith and wife, of Kansas City, are at the Lindell to-day.

C. C. Crippen and wife, Jefferson City, are at the Planters' House.

T. J. Tuck, Sherbrooke, Canada, is stopping at the Planters' House.

W. D. Noel and wife, Lebanon, Mo., are stopping at the Laclede.

James Ashley, Vincennes, Ind., registered at the Laclede this morning.

Richard Dunn and H. Rickard and wife, of New Mexico, are registered at the Lindell.

Among the arrivals at the Lindell this morning was H. Denton, Manchester, England.

At Hurst's Hotel: Hon. J. L. Nichols, of Carlyle, Ill.; Hon. Austin James Mitchie, of Carlyle, Ill.; Hon. J. N. Perrin, of Belleville, Ill.; Hon. N. Crews, of Fairfield, Ill.: Hon. J. M. Gregg, of Harrisburg, Ill.; Judge B. E. Turner, Kohoka, Mo.; Col. H. M. Hiller, of Kohoka, Mo.; Judge John Roberts, of Wayland, Mo.; Judge Willis M. Boulwan, of Alexandra, Mo.; B. P. Murphy, J. J. Sargent, of Pinckneyville, Ill.; J. G. Dana, of Chicago; M. B. Allison, of New Orleans.

RIVER NEWS.

COL. P. P. MANION's new warehouse is progressing rapidly.

THE Calhoun leaves for Peoria at 4 p. m. She will also do the Naples business.

THE veteran Captain Pat Yore was among the callers on Captain Cannon yesterday.

BECK JOLLY commands the Halliday. He is one of the most successful boatmen now living and an old pilot.

THE Mississippi Valley Transportation Company will send the Grand Lake and barges south this evening.

THE fine new steamer City of Providence, Captain Geo. W. Lenox, takes her departure for Vicksburg this evening.

THE Ed Richardson had twenty-five passengers registered up to 10 a. m. to-day. She will leave with an excellent trip.

THE ever popular Dora leaves for Clarksville at 4 p. m. Alex. Lamont commands and Frank Dean presides in the office.

SUPT. O'NEAL, of the New Orleans Anchor Line, will send out three fine packets next week. The W. P. Halliday will be the first.

CAPT. JOHN THORNBURG's popular steamer Pittsburg came in this morning full of freight and people. She returns to the Ohio Tuesday.

THE Iron Sides and barges of Gray's Line will arrive from Pittsburg early next week. Capt. Gray and his manager, J. H. Dunlap, are here.

THE arrivals since yesterday were the Dora, from Clarksville; E. C. Elliott, from Grand Tower; Calhoun, from Naples, and Pittsburg, from Pittsburg. Business active.

THE good steamer Benton, of the Power Line, is announced to leave for Fort Benton this evening; John M. Gilham, Master; Geo. Kennedy, Clerk. Isaac P. Baker is the agent.

THE Josie brought in a big quantity of produce yesterday which she has wintered at Keokuk, having been caught there by the ice last fall. She returns to Keokuk this evening.

THE river at 12 m. marked twenty-five feet by the gauge, showing a fall of two inches. The decline, however, will only be temporary as another rise is coming from the Missouri.

A FEATURE of the day will be the departure for New Orleans of the great steamer Ed. Richardson. Frank Beck, Jr., commands, and A. J. McVey presides in the office. She will be full of people.

RIVER men of St. Paul, Minn., say that deposits of sawdust from the Minneapolis mills are injuring the channel of the Mississippi River near that city. They say bars are forming, composed of sawdust and sand, which are worse than those composed of sand alone, for the latter will wash out, while nothing but dredging will remove sawdust bars. They say that twenty-five years ago a boat could cross the rapids and go to St. Paul on the same stage of water, but now it cannot get above Prescott on account of the bars formed of sawdust and sand. The St. Paul Chamber of Commerce has appointed a committee to look into the matter and devise remedies.

A STEAM yacht, furnished with novel propelling power, has just been completed at New York. The inventor is a Canadian named Smith. He claims that the principle of his invention will revolutionize propelling powers. Instead of a screw, as in ordinary propellers, there is a flat blade of iron under the rudder, at right angles to the keel. This blade works backward and forward on a hollow shaft, with a stroke of three feet forward and aft. As the blade moves forward under the overhang of the vessel, by means of an inside shaft it shuts up, and affords no resistance to the water. When it goes back again it opens, and virtually pushes the water astern. As the engine can work the blade with a stroke of 120 to the minute, it is calculated that extraordinary speed will be attained. The yacht is about thirty feet long over all, and is provided with a patent engine resembling the Plumb engine, with a Plump cylinder. The propelling blade or pusher is three feet in length and fifteen inches in width.

ADDITIONAL COMMERCE.

LUMBER MARKET.

White Pine.	
Clear tank stuff, rough 2⅜ to 4 in.	$55 00
1st and 2nd clear, " 1¼ to 2 in.	47 00
" " " 1 in.	47 00
3d " " 1¼ to 2 in.	42 00
" " " 1 in.	40 00
" " " 7 to 9 in.	35 00
A Select " 1¼ to 2 in.	37 00
" " 1 in (10 in. and over)	34 00
" " 7 to 9 in.	28@29 00
B Select, " 1 in $24; 1¼ to 2 in.	27 50
Clear Frames " 2x6 and 2x8	32 00
Select " " " "	27 50
Clear and Select " 2x4	25 00
A Stock, 12 in. " 12 to 20 ft.	38 00
B " " " 12 to 20 ft.	36 00
C " " " 18 to 20 ft.	30 00
D " " " 12, 14 and 16 ft.	18 50
D " " " 18 ft.	18 50
A " 10 in " 12 to 14 ft.	36 00
B " " "	33 00
D " " "	17 00
A Box " 12 ft.	43 00
B " " 12 ft.	39 00
C " "	30 00
D " "	18 00
Flooring D and M clear 4 in.	37 00
" clear and 1st com. 4 in.	35 00
" 2nd com. 4 in.	33 00
" 3rd com. 4 in.	28 00
" 4th com. 4 in.	17 00
Siding, 1st and 2nd clear	21 00
Siding, clear and 1st com.	19 00
Siding, 2nd com.	18 00
Siding, 3rd com.	14 00
Siding, 4th com.	10 00
Ceiling, ⅜ in., clear	22 00
Ceiling, ⅜ in., clear & 1st com.	20 00
Ceiling, ⅜ in., 2d com.	19 00
Ceiling, ⅜ in., 3d com.	15 00
Ceiling, ½ in., clear & 1st com., 4 or 6 in.	25 00
Ceiling, ½ in.; clear & 2d com., 4 or 6 in.	23 00
Ceiling, ½ in., clear & 3d com., 4 or 6 in.	19 00
Ceiling, ⅝ in., 1st com., 4 or 6 in.	32 00
Ceiling, ⅝ in., 2d com., 4 or 6 in.	30 00
Common Lumber.	
No. 1 boards, 10 & 20 ft.	$16 00
No. 1 boards, 14, 16 & 18 ft.	15 50
Joists, 22 & 24 ft., 2x12 & under	$18 00@19 00
Joists, 26 ft., 2x12 & under	20 00
Joists 28 & 30 ft., 2x12 & under	$22 00@24 00
Scantling, 2x4 to 4x4, 12 ft.	13 50
Scantling, 2x4 to 4x4, 14 & 16 ft.	13 50
Scantling, 2x4 to 4x4, 18 ft.	15 00
Yard timbers, up to 8x8, 12 to 16 ft.	15 00
Yard timbers, up to 8x8, 18 ft.	16 00
Yard timbers, up to 8x8, 22 ft.	18 00
Large timbers at special prices.	
Grub and No. 2 joists, 10 to 16 ft.	11 50
Grub and No. 2 joists, 18 to 20 ft.	11 50
No. 2 scantling, 12 ft.	12 00
No. 2 scantling, 14 & 16 ft.	12 00
No. 2 scantling, 18 & 20 ft.	—
12-inch boards (Nos. 1 & 2) 14 to 18 ft.	14 50
No. 2 boards, 10 & 20 ft.	13 50
No. 2 boards, 12 to 18 ft.	13 50
Cull boards or sheathing	11
No. 1 fencing, 4 or 6 in., 16 ft.	16 00
No. 1 fencing, 4 or 6 in., 12, 14, 18 & 20 ft.	15 00
No. 2 fencing, 4 or 6 in., 12, 14, 18 & 20 ft.	13 50
Cull fencing	11 00
Joists, 10 to 16 ft., 2x12 & under	13 50
Joists, 18 ft., 2x12 & under	14 00
Joists, 20 ft., 2x12 & under	14 50
Yellow Pine.	
1st and 2d clear flooring (count) 4 in.	$32 00
Star flooring (count) 4 in.	29 00
Common flooring (count), 4 in.	20 00
1st and 2d cl. flooring, mixed widths (tape)	35 00
Star flooring, mixed widths (tape)	30 00
Common flooring, mixed widths (tape)	20 00
1¼ in. 1st and 2d cl. flooring mixed widths (tape)	35 00
1¼ in. common flooring mixed widths (tape)	20 00
1 inch 1st and 2d cl. step stuff, S 2 S	35 00
1¼ and 1½ 1st and 2d cl. step stuff, S 2 S	35 00
Poplar and Ash.	
1st Siding	17 50
2d Siding	13 00
1st Ceiling, 7-16 in. 12 ft.	18 50
2d Ceiling, 7-16 in. 6 in.	14 50
1st Ceiling, ⅝ in.	27 00
1st Box boards, rough, 14 ft.	—
2d (select) Box boards, rough, 14 ft.	—
Common boards, rough	20 00
1st Panel, S 1 S, ⅝ in.	28 00
2d Panel, S 1 S, ⅝ in.	—
Ash Flooring, 4 inch, $40; 6 inch	38 00
Ash Flooring, common, 4 and 6 inch	20 00
Red Cedar.	
Sawed Posts (quartered), No. 1	30
Sawed Posts, square, 8 ft 4x4 35c; 6x6	81
Sawed Timbers, 14 to 16 ft B. M.	37 50
Shingles and Lath.	Car Load.
Eau Claire and Meridean, extra clear, dry	$3 15
Eau Claire and Meridean, No. 1	95
Duncan & Taylor, extra choice	3 00
Choice*A* McCartney	2 95
Good* No. 1 (S. & B.)	1 20
Lath	2 40
Lath and shingles extra dry.	

STEAMBOATS.

Lower Mississippi.

St. Louis & Vicksburg Anchor Line.

Packets for Helena, Greenville, Arkansas City and Vicksburg,
Leave Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays,
Str. CITY OF PROVIDENCE, Lennox, Master.
Will leave SATURDAY, April 2, at 5 p. m.

Packets for Cape Girardeau, Cairo, Hickman and Memphis.
Leave Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.
Str. JNO. B. MAUDE, H.W. Brolaski, Master.
Leaves MONDAY, April 4, at 5 p. m.

Packets for Ste Genevieve, St. Marys, Chester and Grand Tower.
STR. E. C. ELLIOTT. W. C. Postal, Master.
Leaves Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at 4 o'clock p. m.
W. B. RUSSELL, Agent.

For Point Hastings, Cap au Gris, Falmouth, Hamburg, Clarksville and all Way Landings,
STR. DORA.
Alex. Lamont, Master.
Leaves Tuesday, Thursday and Saurday, at 4 p. m., from foot of Cherry street.

Mississippi Valley Transportation Co.
FOR NEW ORLEANS.
Str. GRAND LAKE and Barges.
Leaves SATURDAY, 2d inst., at 5 p. m.
For freight rates to New Orleans and points in Texas, apply to
WM. F. HAINES, Freight Agent.

For New Orleans and Way Landings.
The Magnificent Passenger Steamer
ED. RICHARDSON.
FRANK BECK, JR., MASTER.
Will leave from wharfboat, foot of Market street, on SATURDAY, April 2, at 5 o'clock p. m. For freight or passage apply on board or to JOHN W. CARROLL, Agent.

Missouri River.

1881 Kansas City Packet Co. 1881

The following arrangement has been made for the ensuing season, viz.:
STR. E. H. DURFEE ....Keith, Master.
STR. LADY LEE ....Ebaugh, Master.
Will run to Kansas City, leaving St. Louis Wednesdays and Saturdays.
STR. FANNIE LEWIS......R. J. Whitledge, Master.
Will leave every Tuesday, for Arrow Rock and Saline City.
STR. JOE KINNEY........Cartwright, Master.
Leaves SATURDAY, 2d, for Kansas City.
STR. MATTIE BELLE......Ed. B. Murphy, Master.
Will leave every Wednesday and Saturday for all points as high up as Hermann.
L. F. D'ARCAMBAL, Agent.

Benton P Line for Montana, Yellowstone, Upper Mo. River, Bismarck, Buford, Berthold, Bozeman, Keogh, Assinaboine, Fort Benton and Helena. Through without change, fast passenger steamer
BENTON,
Jno. M. Gilham, Master. Geo. Kennedy, Clerk.
Leaves St. Louis Saturday April 2, at 5 p. m. Steamers of this line carrying United States mail in connection with Northern Pacific Railroad, leave Bismarck every Saturday during season. Through rates of passage, freight and stock. ISAAC P. BAKER, Gen'l Agent,
T. C. POWER, Manager. 308 N. Commercial st.

Upper Mississippi.

DIAMOND JO. LINE.
For Hannibal, Quincy, Warsaw and Keokuk,
STR. JOSIE............. ——, Master.
Leaves SATURDAY, April 2, at 4 p. m. from Diamond Jo. wharfboat, foot of Washington avenue.
L. J. BUFORD, Agent.

For Clarksville, Louisiana, Hannibal, Quincy, Canton, Warsaw, Keokuk and All Way Landings.
STR. ARKANSAS,
Miles Burke, Master; Chas. B. Ebbert, Clerk. Leaves THIS DAY, 2, at 4 p. m., from Alton packet wharfboat.
JENKINS & SASS, Agents,

Ohio River.

St. Louis, Cincinnati, Huntington and Pittsburg Packet Company.
For Paducah, Evansville, Louisville, Cincinnati, Huntington, Wheeling and Pittsburg direct.
STR. PITTSBURG.
John Thoreburg, Master. John Griffith, Clerk.
Leaves TUESDAY, April 5, at 5 p. m.
JENKINS & SASS, Agents,
508 N. Commercial street.

Illinois River.

Regular Naples Packet.
For Peoria, Havelin, Montezuma, Florence, Greggsville, Naples and all way landings.
Steamer CALHOUN..........Gray, Master.
Leaves Wednesdays and Saturdays, from company's wharfboat, foot of Market street. C. S. ROGERS, Sup't.

For Beardstown, Havana and Peoria.
CHICAGO FAST FREIGHT LINE.
The Fine side-wheel Passenger Steamer.
ILLINOIS........E. W. Gould, Jr., Master.
Will leave ——, —, from company's wharfboat, foot of Market street. C. S. ROGERS, Pres't. F. D'Arcambal, Agt.

P. P. MANION.
Blacksmith and Wrecking Co.,
Corner of Levee and Morgan sts., St. Louis, Mo.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Stockholders' Meeting.

OFFICE WESTERN BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATION, ST. LOUIS, March 31, 1881.

The annual election for thirteen directors of the above association will be held at the office of the secretary, No. 212 N. Eighth street, St. Louis, on Wednesday, the 13th day of April, A. D., 1881, Polls from 9 a. m. to 3 p. m.

PATRICK McGRATH, President.
JOSEPH H. TIERNAN, Secretary.

WEST ST. LOUIS SAVINGS BANK.—Notice of final dividend. A final dividend of 3 1-5 per cent on face of all claims allowed against assigned estate of the West St. Louis Savings Bank has been declared by the undersigned, assignees, payable on the 8th and 9th days of April, 1881, at the northeast corner of Fifth and Franklin avenue, up stairs.
CHAUNCEY F. SCHULTZ,
EDWARD WELLHAUSEN,
Assignees West St. Louis Savings Bank.

FREE OF CHARGE.

Situations wanted, male and female; lost and found, help wanted, male and female; rooms for rent, rooms or boarding wanted, not exceeding three lines, and not of a business nature, will be inserted free of charge.

SILVER-PLATED WARE
Retailed at Factory Prices.
E. M. WADSWORTH & CO., Manufacturers.
Salesroom, 612 Olive street.
Repairing and Replating. 23

PERSONAL.

ALL kinds of desks for sale; store desks, railing and office fixtures made to order. F. Bollhagen, 713 Pine.

ALL Cast-off Clothing bought. Call or address N. Jacobs, 308 Locust street.

BOSTON STEAM DENTAL CO., 802 Washington Ave. (Over Crawford's Drug Store.)

Best set of S. S. White's gum teeth	$7 00
A good set of teeth	4 00
Gold fillings from $1 50 to	2 00
Silver fillings	75
Composition fillings	50
Teeth extracted with gas	25

All work warranted. DR. CASE, Manager.

CAST-OFF clothing bought by calling or addressing M. B. Barnett, 302 Locust street.

FURNITURE—Stored or packed and shipped; also all kinds of repairs done by H. Vallance, 1213 Olive street.

GENTLEMEN, go to 1428 Franklin avenue to have your clothes dyed, cleaned and renovated.

ILLINOIS MILK COMPANY,
1523 FRANKLIN AVENUE,
DEALERS IN PURE ILLINOIS MILK.
This milk is very highly recommended by our leading physicians for children. Orders from families, hotels, etc., will receive prompt attention. Deliveries made twice daily.

MARTIN'S SHORT-HAND INSTITUTE, 222 S. Twelfth street, established 1876. Get circular and catalogue.

MME. REID, a graduate of the St. Louis School of Midwives. Ladies in trouble call. Board during confinement. Letters confidential. Residence 1716 Chouteau avenue.

PERSONAL—Calf shoes $3 50, to measure, at John Lottrup's, 614 North Fourth street.

PERSONAL—Aramantha Jane and everybody else gets Greenwood's Ready Mixed Gloss Paints, Brushes, Varnishes, etc., at 1722 Frankin ave. 10

PERSONAL—F. W. Drosten, 619 Olive street, has always a nice selected stock of watches, clocks, jewelry and silverware. Special attention paid to the manufacture of new jewelry. Watches, clocks, jewelry and silver ware repaired and warranted. 25

PINE STREET PHARMACY,
Ninth and Pine Streets,
NEW MANAGEMENT
Pinaud's French perfumes by the ounce; all the new odors. Colognes—La Belle, Verbena, Bouquet, Rose, etc. H. H. MANNING.

PERSONAL—Si Bascom's pure home-made candies, the best, sweetest and purest in the land, 20c to 40c per lb, at 306 Olive str.; factory 2403 Franklin ave. Caramels a specialty.

PERSONAL—Windsor Hotel, Washington ave., have recently added a Refreshment and Billiard Room, with Wine Room attached, under the supervision of Mr. Vincent Ciurciola.

PERSONAL—All the newest designs in paper-hangings and window shades, cheap, at Stephens', 811 Washington ave.

PERSONAL—R. F. Adams, 215 North Fourth street, still takes twelve splendid carte photographs and two cabinets for $2, any kind of weather.

PERSONAL—Drunkenness and the opium habit cured with Dr. L. E. Keeley's Double Chloride of Gold Remedies. P. D. CORDELL, General Agent, 414 N. Seventh, between St. Charles and Locust, St. Louis, Mo. Books Free.

PERSONAL—Gold violin, guitar or banjo strings, 20c each. Silver, 15c; steel, 5c. Hulbert Bro's, 1505 Franklin avenue.

R. W. Please call at this office and get letters. Your ad. has been seen and noted, the gentleman awaits you. 2

ST. LOUIS Eye and Ear Institute, 723 Chestnut street. D. A. D. Williams, surgeon in charge.

THE best Medicine ever introduced—Maguire's Quinine and Iron Cordial, warranted superior to any other iron preparation or money refunded. It is very pleasant to take and strengthens the body, feeds the brain, purifies the blood, facilitates digestion, increases appetite, allays nervousness and tones the system. It is a great spring remedy, and every man, woman and child should take it. A single trial will give satisfaction. A. Harless' Drug Store, southwest cor. Fifth and Market sts.

THE best Gloss Paints, ready mixed, Varnishes, Brushes, Glass, etc., in the city, can be had at 1722 Franklin avenue. 10

WANTED—Be sure and require reference when you want your lace curtains done up. F. W. Dustin, 625 Locust, does curtains like new without injury. 50c, 75c and $1 per window; established twelve years: No. 1 references; satisfaction guaranteed.

WANTED—Collars and cuffs laundried in Troy style in two days or less; 25 cents per dozen. Telegraph Laundry, 625 Locust st. Prompt and reliable.

WANTED—The address of John McGrath, formerly of Louisville, Ky. Address H. J. Cassin, box 25, Bald Knob, White Co., Ark.

YOU can get the best dinner in the city from 12 to 4 o'clock; only 25c, at the Central Restaurant, 310 Chestnut street. Open Day and Night.

HELP WANTED-MALE.

50 TIE MAKERS for Illinois; pay 12½ cents, bark on. Board $2 50 per week. Apply 719½ Chestnut st., up stairs. 2

AT J. Baer's, 1914 Carondelet ave., an office-boy, aged 16 or 17, that writes a good hand; wages first month $18; and an errand boy, between the ages of 14 and 15, wages $3 per week. 1

BUGGY-WASHER and hostler at Park Avenue stable. Second Carondelet ave. 29

BOY to feed Forsythe folder and a fly boy wanted at this office. Call between 10 and 12 o'clock.

FIRST-CLASS canvassers wanted to take orders in city, none but first-class men need apply. Address, with references, M. C., this office. 2

WANTED—Strong, industrious and intelligent boy 14 years old. Apply at 209 North Fourth street, up stairs. 1

WANTED—A boy who writes well, lives with his parents; good references and small wages as colector. C. M. James, this office. 29

WANTED—Forty dollars a week to a man of intilligence and address. Business light, easy, highly respectable and steady the year round. This is no humbug, delusion or fraud, but a once-in-a lifetime opportunity. Address R. W., this office. 29

WANTED—Two farm-hands. Apply to Justice Patrick McCann, N. W. cor. 5th and Chestnut streets. 31

WANTED—A boy to drive a horse and make himself generally useful. Address R. S., this office. 30

WANTED—French cook at Little Restaurant, 1026 Market street. 30

WANTED—An experienced stock man in Wholesale Shoe House. Call at 514 Washington ave.

WANTED—At De Soto, Mo., a good coat maker, and a good pants maker; good wages. For terms apply to Cunningham Bros., 106 and 108 North Sixth street. 30

YOUNG MAN of good address and intelligence, well acquainted with members of Fire Department. Such person can secure a good paying business. Address, with references, C. E. M. Y. 2

HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

A LADY wishes an honest, tidy girl, 14 to 15 years old; an orphan preferred. A good home for one that suits; apply immediately at 2601 Morgan st. 2

A LADY wishing to go to Colorado with a family to help them; best of references. Address M. D., this office. 29

A LADY wishing a situation as house-keeper in a hotel; best of references. Address D. S., this office. 29

WANTED—A good nurse at No. 1622 Washington avenue, city. References required. 1

WANTED—Good girl for general house work can find a good permanent place at 1310 North Market street. 31

WANTED—A young lady to address wrappers. Apply at 209 North Fourth street, up stairs. 1

WANTED—A girl about 16 years old to assist in general housework—no washing. Apply at once at 1122 N. Twenty-first st. 29

WANTED—At 3108 Lucas avenue, a good girl for general housework.

WANTED—Cook and house girl. Apply at 2636 Locust street, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, bet. 12 and 1 o'clock. 31

WANTED—A girl to cook, wash and iron at 1110 Chouteau ave. 31

WANTED—A girl for housework in a small family. Apply to M. Stafford, near Brady street, First Ward, East St. Louis. 31

WANTED—A good girl to cook, wash and iron; also a washerwoman. 1705 Park ave. 31

WANTED—Experienced shirt-makers; highest price paid and steady work; also two first-class hands on wages to work in the shop. Freeman, corner of Washington avenue and Eighth street. 30

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE.

AN intelligent, pushing business man to act as manager for St. Louis and State. Business honorable and profitable. Capital required not to exceed $500. No bonus. Address M. D., Dispatch office. 31

A GERMAN man wants a situation as coachman and make himself generally useful; best of city reference. Address C. Burkhart, southwest corner Twelfth and Wash streets. 1

A YOUNG man wants a permanent situation as compositor on some weekly publication; wages no object. Address Dunbar, this office. 28

I DON'T want work because I have to, but would take a situation in a good house as bar-keeper; twelve years experience; first-class city reference. Address X. Y. Z., 105 N. Fifth street. 30

WANTED—By a first-class cake baker and ice cream maker a good, steady situation. Please address C. H. this office. 28

SITUATION wanted by a boy seventeen years old to learn a trade of some kind, saddlery trade preferred. Address Joseph. P.-D. office.

SITUATION—By a boy 16 years old, to drive team or any honest employment; is stout and willing to work. Joseph Boehm, 1515 N. Ninth street. 31

SITUATION wanted as salesman in a merchant tailor's or wholesale woolen house by a young man having experience. Address K., this office. 2

SITUATION—Wanted by a steady man, "married," in some wholesale or retail store, or any thing he can make a living at for his family. Address E. Witness, 1425 S. Seventh st. 2

SITUATION wanted by a respectable young man of 22 as coachman, in private family, town or country; can milk; is temperate, willing and obliging. Best ref. if required. Address by letter, not postal, P. G. M., this office. 28

SITUATION wanted by young man of 19 to drive delivery wagon. Best of city reference. H. L., this office. 2

SITUATION wanted by a No. 1 baker on bread or cakes. W. G., baker, Smyth's bakery, Eighteenth and Biddle. 2

SITUATION by a first-class pastry cook. Address M. Francis, this office. 2

TO Wine and Spirit Merchants.—A middle-aged man (married) having a practical knowledge of the wine and spirit trade, is open to take a position as manager. Address George Bridge, 312 Barton street, city. 1

WANTED—By a young married man, a situation in some store; is not afraid of work, as has been four years in the British navy. Address John Dawson, this office. 29

WANTED—Good situation in some office. Wages $4 per week. Address postal card to Ed. Howard, 2709 Adams street. 29

WANTED—Situation by a German as bartender. Address Henry Rahna, care of Philip Woermer, 2000 Dekalb avenue. 29

WANTED—By a young man of three years' experience in a railway ticket office, a position as salesman or in an office. Address Micawber, this office. Can give best reference. 30

WANTED—A young man wants a situation as porter or any other position; can give the best of reference and is not afraid of work. Address C, 1233 N. Twenty-first street. 30

WANTED—Situation in wholesale house as shipping clerk or salesman, or to assist in book keeping and be generally useful by a young man with best of recommendation. Address A. B., this office. 29

WANTED—By a respectable young Englishman, a situation in the country to attend horses and cows; good driver, milker, and understands stock; willing to be useful; steady place wanted. Address A. E., this office. 28

WANTED—A young man of good education and who writes a fair hand, desires a situation of any kind. No objection to leaving the city. References given. Address J. C., this office. 31

WANTED—A young gentleman of good family (Canadian) would like a position of trust where confidence, zeal and integrity would be appreciated. Address L. B., this office. 1

WANTED—By a young man a situation to go to the country as salesman; has six years experience with good reference. Address B. H. N. 1

WANTED—By a boy, 18 years old, a place to learn a business. Address B., 72, this office. 1

WANTED—By a young man, work in a real estate or law office or store; has had experience in law office. Can write 75 words per minute in short hand, and understands book-keeping. Good references. G. W. W., No. 8 N. Eleventh st. 28

WANTED—A situation by a young man to drive or anything outdoors; address C. B., No. 2313 St. Charles street. 30

WANTED—A situation as steward or head waiter by a practical man; can furnish No. references. Address Steward, No. 314 Christy avenue. 28

YOUNG married man just from England wants a situation as porter or salesman in a wholesale or retail store. Good references. Address David Ray, 8 South Seventh street. 2

YOUNG man of experience wants a position as clerk in a grocery store; satisfactory references given. Ad. W. H. M., this office. 29

LOST AND FOUND.

$5 REWARD—Lost, a gold locket and necklace on Chestnut, between Fourth and Eleventh streets; $5 reward will be paid by leaving at this office. 2

GOLD sleeve button found. Owner can have the same by calling, proving property and paying reward at American Sign Company, 218 North Second street. 2

LOST—Orange and white pointer pup, four months old; strayed from Seventeenth and Pine streets. Finder will be rewarded by returning same to John W. Norton, Grand Opera-house. 1

LOST—A yellow Irish setter with city license No. 588 on. A liberal reward will be paid if returned to 912 Garrison avenue. 1

STRAYED—Young dark black and tan dog. Suitable reward if returned to 2952 Easton av. 31

STOLE—From 1506 N. Twelfth street, on Saturday, 26th, a No. 4 Velocipede, with body brown and wheels white, of the I. X. L. mark; any information leading to its recovery will be properly rewarded at the above number.

MONEY TO LOAN.

$100,000 TO loan in sums to suit at lowest rates of interest. Building loans a speciality. D. B. BRENNAN, 708 Chestnut street.

MONEY TO LOAN.
$50,000, $2,000, $3,500, $1,700, $500, at 6 and 7 per cent on city and county real estate.
JOHN LADY, 305 Olive st.

MONEY loaned on household goods; no removal; lowest rate. D. H. Evans & Co., 207 N. Seventh street. 23

MONEY to loan on household furniture without removal; lowest rate; business confidential. C. F. Betts, Notary Public, 208 North Eighth street.

BOARDING.

1219 CHESTNUT—Private board, good table, rates reasonable. 2

BOARDING—Furnished or unfurnished rooms with board. 2634 Olive st. 31

BOARDING—Mrs. Yiengst, proprietress of the Vulcan Boarding House in Carondelet. First-class Eastern board. 30

MUSICAL.

PIANOS
$35, $60, $75, $120, $130, $150, $175, $200.
BARREIRAS' Piano Warerooms, corner
11TH AND OLIVE.

$1,000 New premium pianos, standard makes, elaborately carved, and inlaid with pearl, warranted 6 years, with plush stool and gilded cover, for sale at $290; also, premium pianos, upright and square, of best makes, with 6 years' guarantee, for sale on payments or cash discounts, at $210, $225 and 250; also 15 pianos and organs for rent cheap; 2d-hand pianos and organs wanted at my residence, 2802 Locust street, where no store rent is paid and bargains are found.

BUSINESS CHANCES.

WANTED—A lady with small capital to take interest in a pleasant and legitimate business. Address C., this office. 24

WANTED—PARTNERS.

WANTED—To form a partnership in some good, solid wholesale fancy grocery or commission house where large acquaintance, experience and some ready cash will pay a moderate return. Best of city reference given and required; address Experience, this office. 2

BOOKS.

F. ARCHER has removed his large stock of new and second-hand books from Seventh and Olive to 205 N. Sixth street. Globe Edition Shakespeare, 75c.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE.

A WIDOW lady would like a position as housekeeper. No objection to leave the city. Address D. D. M., this office. 26

A LADY would like to get a situation in a nursery; best of references. Address 19, this office. 2

A GIRL fifteen years of age wishes a place for nursing or light house work. Address Annie, this office. 28

A LADY wishes a situation as house-keeper to a widower or bachelor; best of reference. Address D., this office. 25

A YOUNG LADY with a fair hand would like to have copying to do at home. Address Margnerite, this office. 1

BY a lady, situation to sew in a family or clerk in a store. Address A. B. C., this office. 25

HOUSEKEEPER—Elderly lady would engage to keep house for small family for nominal wages; best references. Mrs. M. S. S., this office. 31

LAUNDRESS—Widow lady wants to do the laundry work of family for board and slight compensation; excellent references. Mrs. M. S. S., this office. 31

SITUATION wanted as housekeeper, governess or nurse to invalid; no objection to leave the city. Address Mrs. John, this office. 2

SITUATION—A young girl desires a situation to do general housework. Call at 2913 Cooper street. 26

WANTED—A situation as companion or nurse for an invalid, by a widow lady; best of references. No objection to travel or go in the country. Address C. F., this office. 31

WANTED—A place in the country on a farm for woman and two boys. Inquire at 1685 Montgomery street. Mrs. Smith, 1

WANTED—Work by the day; 1815 Orange alley. Mrs. Delaney. 31

WANTED—Situation by a girl to go to the country. Apply 1232 N. 14th st. 31

WANTED—Situations by cooks, house and dining-room girls, nurses and seamstresses. Apply at 1232 N. 14th st. 31

WANTED—A situation as housekeeper in private family; have one child two years old; can furnish best of ref. Address 2313 Chouteau avenue. 31

WANTED—A competant seamstress wants work, can cut and fit; best of reference. Address J. M., this office. 30

WANTED—By a young lady a situation to do copying, or any kind of light employment. Address Carrie M., this office. 30

WANTED—A Situation as sick nurse by a lady of 37 years. Address M. J. Harding, 922 Walnut street. 29

YOUNG woman wants to complete her knowledge of dressmaking. Address P., this office. 2

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS.

TO TAKE a baby by the week or month. Address Mrs. Jeffery, 1251 S. Third st., 3d floor. 25

WANTED—Day boarders $3 50 per week. Address 201 N. 15th st., northwest corner. 29

WANTED—Steam shovel. Moore Bros., contractors, St. Clair, Mo. 1

WANTED—The address of any one who will furnish public addresses, orations, etc. Address P. O. box 88, Lebanon, Ill. 1

WANTED—Large unfurnished room, with bath attached, southern exposure. Address D., this office. 31

WANTED—A lady boarder at reasonable terms; a seamstress that sews at home preferred. Apply to 1516 O'Fallon. 29

WANTED—The acquaintance of a young lady understanding phrenology and wishing to travel. Combe, this office. 1

WANTED—To invest $300 or $400 in a business together with my services that will return about $60 per month. Address L. M., this office. 29

WANTED—BOARD.

WANTED—To board with some nice family where there is no other boarders; no objection to young people belonging to the family; where I can have a home; best of reference. Address G. A. R., Post-Dispatch. 25

WANTED—A home where I can give instructions in penmanship; I have the experience of five years as a teacher in this art. Ad. S. B., this off. 24

FOR SALE.

A FINE business property for sale, rents for $1,800 per annum. Inquire at 605 Franklin ave.

A BAKERY for sale cheap. No competition. Cor. Bryan and Florissant avenues, by A. Dilger. Apply on the premises.

A Blanchard churn for sale; only used one month. Inquire at 1120 Pine street. 31

BAKERY and Confectionary for sale cheap. Good reason for selling, southeast corner Tenth and Cass ave. 28

FOR SALE—Strictly pure wines and liquors at T. Julian Smith's, 513 Walnut street.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Furniture of one room for watch, gun, jewelry or cash. Call at 1302 Morgan street at 6 o'clock p. m. sharp. M. M. Moore. 1

FOR SALE—Bakery and confectionery and ice cream saloon in first-class style, for sale cheap. Address L. Kloib, Washington, Mo. 29

FOR SALE—A good two-hand screw cutting lathe 20 in. swing by about 5-6 bed, with counter shafting complete. Address M. R. Williams, 409 N. Main street. 29

FOR SALE—At a bargain, rolled plate jewelry, spectacles and eye-glasses; must be sold. G. J. Leach, at E. Capelle's 600 Olive street.

FOR SALE—First-class stone front dwellings on Laclede, Chestnut, Washington avenue, Pine, Olive, Lucas and Finney avenues.
JAS. M. CARPENTER, 312 North Sixth st.

FOR SALE.—Furniture of a ten-room furnished room house. Address M., this office. 31

FOR SALE AT A SACRIFICE—Forty acres choice timber land in Hamilton county, Ill., two miles from county seat. Address V. T. C. this office. 28

FOR SALE—Lots and farm lands. Inquire of Page & Buckland, Missouri avenue, East St. Louis, Ill.

I HAVE three first-class bedroom sets, one dining-room set and kitchen which I will move to any part of the city with good references; address Mrs. B. H. N., this office. 30

NO. 1 corner saloon for sale; inquire at Nos. 110 and 112 N. Fifth street. 31

ONE NEW ICE CHEST, double cover, inside space 26 cubic feet; also one platform scale, counter and table, for sale cheap. Inquire 511 Market street.

ONE Singer and one Domestic sewing machine for sale; $12 each, on time. Add. J. H., this off. 31

PHILIP STEMMEL—In Carondelet, has a full set of tinners' tools and work-benches which he offers for sale. 30

SOME shares of stock in the Charm Manufacturing Company for sale; this city. Address S., this office.

THE FURNITURE of three rooms, all complete for housekeeping, nearly new, for sale at a bargain on easy terms. Parties leaving the city call at once. Nelson, 208 North Eighth street. 31

EDUCATIONAL.

CARL T. INGENSON, private teacher of Latin, English branches and higher mathematics, 1304 Olive street.

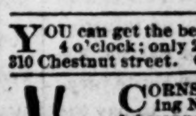
WANTED—At 809 Mound street, by a lady teacher, a few pupils to learn business penmanship; terms reasonable. 28

ALL SORTS.

A GOOD CHANCE.—Furniture, Pictures, Mirrors sold on monthly payments at McNICHOLS', 1024 Market st. 2



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Manufacturer of Carriages, Buggies, Spring Wagons, City Trucks, Corner Main and Spruce streets. Painting and Repairing.

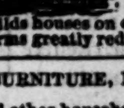


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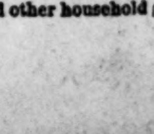


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2717 FRANKLIN AVENUE.

YOU can get the best dinner in the city from 12 to 4 o'clock; only 25c, at the Central Restaurant, 310 Chestnut street. Open Day and Night.



CORNS, BUNIONS, Club and Ingrowing Nails treated in the most skillful manner without pain. Prices—Corns and Bunions, 25c each; Nails, 50c each. Dr. N. KENISON & SONS, 633 1-2 Olive Street.



The St. Louis Mutual House Building Co., 518 Walnut st
Loans large and small amounts. Builds houses on city real estate. Payments monthly. Terms greatly reduced.

FURNITURE, MATTRESSES, STOVES, CARPETS, and other household goods sold on monthly payments at S. MYERS', 619 and 621 Market street.

RAILROAD COMMUTATION.

Comparison of Rates in St. Louis and Elsewhere.

The Missouri Pacific 80 Per Cent Higher Than the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy, Etc., Etc.

The recent reopening of the difficulties between the residents of the suburban towns on the Missouri Pacific Railway and the managers of that railway has created an interest in St. Louis which extends beyond the comparatively few citizens who are "commuters." All St. Louis is interested in having the city surrounded by handsome and thriving villages, and also in having country resorts within easy reach of the city—resorts which can be reached at so moderate an expense that people in medium circumstances can afford to patronize country air in the summer time. Whether St. Louis is fairly treated by her railroads in the matter of cheap commutation rates of travel for her suburban residents is a question of general importance. The "Kirkwood Commuters," as they are known, have an old time quarrel with Mr. Talmage which is almost of a personal nature. They are very confident, and have been for years, that they are entirely right, and the railroad is very stiff in its treatment of them. A reporter of the POST-DISPATCH has been at the pains recently to gather some information as to what suburban commutation railroad rates prevail in other cities. In any comparison made with other cities the Missouri Pacific best represents St. Louis, as it has by far the largest commutation business, and is therefore best able to offer low rates to its patrons. In amount of business done of this kind the Iron Mountain comes next to the Missouri Pacific, and then the St. Louis, Kansas City and Northern. On the other side of the river the Cairo Short Line does the largest business, and is followed by the Illinois and St. Louis, then the Chicago and Alton, the Southwestern, the Vandalia, the Ohio and Mississippi, Indianapolis and St. Louis and the Wabash. But the number of commuters on each of the Eastern roads is very small, and the most advantageous rates they could possibly offer could hardly induce St. Louisans to settle very extensively in Illinois. The bridge and the bridge fare would alone kill off any attempt to colonize St. Clair county.

The following table has been prepared from the very latest data and may be depended upon for accuracy. In it present commutation monthly rates are given of a number of prominent Chicago railroads, the leading Cincinnati suburban road, and the two leading St. Louis roads; also the excess of rates charged by the Missouri Pacific over each other road. To distances only are given, which, in the case of the St. Louis roads, represent Benton and Kirkwood on the Missouri Pacific, and Ferguson on the St. Louis, Kansas City and Northern:

	Distance of Miles.	Monthly Rates.	Lower than Mo. P.
Chicago and N. W.,			
Galena division...	6.7	$4 10	$1 15
do do.......	15.8	6 60	2 40
Chicago, B. and P.,	6.7	4 00	1 25
do do....	12.3	5 00	4 00
Chicago and N. W.,			
Milwaukee divis..	7.6	3 65	60
do do.......	13.1	6 45	2 55
Illinois Central.....	6.5	4 50	75
do do.......	13.9	7 50	1 50
Chicago, R. I. & P..	7.	4 75	50
do do.......	13.5	5 50	3 50
Marietta and Cin...	6.7	3 50	1 75
do do.......	13.5	5 75	3 25
St. L., K. C. and N.	12.5	5 50	3 50
Missouri Pacific.....	6.4	5 25	——
do do.......	13.5	9 00	——

Taking the longer distances in the above, it will be found that the Missouri Pacific rates are now in excess of the rates of the other roads by the following percentages: Percentage of the excess of the rates on the Missouri Pacific over the Chicago and Northwestern, 36; percentage of excess over the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy, 80; percentage of excess over Milwaukee Division of C. and N. W., 39; percentage of excess over Illinois Central, 20; percentage of excess over Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific, 63; percentage of excess over Marietta and Cincinnati, 56; percentage of excess over St. Louis, Kansas City and Northern, or Western Division of the Wabash and Pacific, 63; or, in other words, St. Louisans, who desire to live in suburban towns on the Missouri Pacific must pay from twenty per cent to eighty per cent more for their travel than is required on leading Chicago roads. The POST-DISPATCH is not engaged in fighting the battles of the Kirkwood commuters, but the above facts are of importance to all St. Louis. There would seem to be no good reason why St. Louis railroads should not do as well by St. Louis as Chicago roads do by Chicago and Cincinnati roads do by Cincinnati. Jay Gould controls three roads running out of St. Louis. Two of them pursue an amicable policy toward their commuters, and one does not. Why does he allow two policies to exist? One or the other is right, and the right one should be made universal. There are many other grievances which the Kirkwood people think they have, in the way of onerous conditions imposed upon the buyers of the monthly or "time" tickets, but these woes they have aired sufficiently in their own public meetings.

To obtain the commutation rates which prevail in Eastern cities is more difficult than those of the Western cities mentioned. It is true, however, that Boston has the cheapest suburban railroad travel in the United States, and for its size it has also by far the largest suburban travel. Half of Boston is said to reside outside the city limits, and this state of things has been brought about by the liberality of the railroads. Some years ago the Old Colony Railway introduced a system similar to that which prevails on street railways. Tickets good for any station are sold in packages twenty for a dollar, or five cents a trip whether the passenger rides one mile or ten. The system met with remarkable success, and was adopted by other railroads. The majority of Boston railroads, however, now charge rates about like those given above for the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy. In New York suburban rates are not so low as in Boston, but still much lower than on our Missouri Pacific. The Hudson River Railway maintains a pretty high rate. The Harlem Railway sells quarterly tickets, distance thirteen miles, for $13, for which the Missouri Pacific charges now $24 25. Some of the New York roads, however, it is fair to state, are as stiff in their quarterly rates as the Missouri Pacific.

In general it may be said that St. Louis railroads are treating their suburban patrons quite fairly, with the exception of the Missouri Pacific. Tickets ought to be provided by all railroads by means of which a patron's family can travel as cheaply as he can. Any system which does not is onerous and unjust. It is supposed that an unmarried man living in Kirkwood, by traveling every day, contributes sufficiently to the revenues of the railroad to entitle him to a monthly ticket at reduced rates. But a married man contributes more to the revenues of the road, and therefore is more worthy of consideration. But he gets no concession whatever, beyond the single man, namely, a cheap ticket for himself, and his wife must pay transient rates.

HAVE you tried the new cigarette, Opera Puff? They will not stick to the lips.

The New Southern Pacific.

From a Letter to New York Sun.

Speaking generally of the new route, it must become a favorite one with travelers. The regions it traverses are full of scenic and historic interest. The country abounds in rich mines. There are gold placers in Southern California, silver mines in Arizona and New Mexico, copper, iron, antimony, tin, gypsum, coal, petroleum, and many other valuable minerals all along the route. Both of the roads are well built. The Southern Pacific is as solid as skill can make it. Artesian wells and dining stations are established along its entire length, and its sleeping cars are as elegant and comfortable. The Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe is also well constructed. The time made on the through trip is as short as on the Union and Central Pacific. The fare is the same. There is no snow in winter, and in summer—as I can testify from experience—the heat is not oppressive, because the air is pure and dry. The pirates at Deming, however, must be fired out. When this is done—and perhaps it is done already, for the railroad men were making preparation when I passed through—the new route to and from San Francisco will become very attractive.

In the course of a year or two, however, another transcontinental route will be opened. The Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe have already constructed a branch line from Albuquerque, west, to Fort Wingate, on the Rio Puerco. From this point it is being laid at the rate of two miles a day, along the 36th parallel and across Arizona to the Colorado. After crossing this river it will span the Mohave Desert and enter California through the Cajon Pass, near the town of San Bernardino. There it will cross the Southern Pacific line and continue along the valleys of the coast range to San Francisco.

THE Ladies' Department at C. Conrad & Co.'s, No. 419 North Sixth street, is reserved exclusively for ladies and families, and contains a beautiful display of Budweiser beer, wines and champagnes.

MR. E. D. FOREE, JR., late General Superintendent of the old Broadway Foundry Company, is now running the Polytechnic Foundry, No. 605 South Sixth street, which makes a specialty of small castings which have heretofore been brought entirely from the East. Mr. Foree has many warm friends among our river men who will be glad to hear that he is again on his feet and determined to surmount the heavy losses he sustained by the burning of the Broadway works.

FOR RENT.

Dwellings.

FOR RENT—
2012-2014 Benton street—new houses, 6 rooms, each $25.
1100 Morrison avenue—10 rooms and bath; $1,000 per annum.
1104 Autumn street—8 rooms and bath, furnished, $60 per month.
1105 Autumn street—8 rooms and bath, $60 per month.
2128 Clark av., 8 rooms and bath, $35.
2132 Clark av., 8 rooms and bath, $35.
1815 California av., 6 rooms and bath, $25.
220 Emily st., 8 rooms and bath, $30.
3127 Olive st., 8 rooms and bath, $50.
STORES.
113 North Eighth st.—Store, $50 per month.
1102 North Sixth street—Store and one room, $11 per month.
619 Poplar street—Store, $10 per month.
CAVENDER & ROWSE,
213 North Eighth Street.

FOR RENT BY GRETHER & BOECK,
207 North Eighth street.
DWELLINGS.
3310 Washington avenue, new stone front, ten rooms, $75.
Southeast corner Nineteenth and Wash; Carr Place, fourteen rooms and very large lot, perfect order, only $75.
1712 North Tenth, eight rooms and stable, $25.
STORES.
217 North Fifth, near Olive, with basement, one of the finest stores in the city, $275 per month.
Fifth and Walnut, basement under Temple Building.
2011 Market, $12.

$66 65—3517 CHESTNUT ST—New stone-front, 8 rooms.
$45—1920 Gratiot—8 rooms, stable, large yard.
$55—3521 Chestnut—Stone front, 8 rooms.
$65—3533 Chestnut—9 rooms, bay windows.
$150—520 Walnut—12 rooms.
$30—2000 Papin st—7 rooms, hall, gas, bath, etc.
$22 50—1116 Jefferson ave—6 rooms, hall.
$30—1024 Broadway—Large store and basement,
$25—3416 Olive—Large store.
$125—312 N. Sixth—Large store.
$25—206 North Eighth—Second floor.
JAS. M. CARPENTER,
312 N. Sixth st.

FOR RENT BY HAYNES & COLLINS.
3522 Lindell avenue, 10 rooms, hot water, etc., $65.
2642 Washington avenue, 10 rooms, furnace, cistern, yard, $83 35.
1208 St. Ange avenue, 10 rooms, yard, cistern, etc., $60.
3431 Morgan street, 10 rooms, large yard, southern exposure, $60.
514 Pine street, 2 rooms, second floor, suitable for lawyer or doctor, $20.
615 Franklin avenue, rooms in rear, $5.
915 Collins street, rooms, $6.
1336 North Seventh, 2 rooms, $7.
Money to loan in sums to suit at "going rates."
HAYNES & COLLINS,
211 North Eighth street.

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14 N. MAIN STREET—Saloon, with six rooms above; $25.
To Lease—1402 N. Main street—Lot 40x160, for manufacturing or business purposes.
D. B. BRENNAN, 708 Chestnut street.

FOR SALE OR RENT—Fourth and Elwood streets, South St. Louis, brick house, 10 rooms, all conveniences, with fruit and flowers. Apply on the premises.

FOR RENT—Two desirable unfurnished rooms with board, second floor; cars convenient. References exchanged. Inquire 2821 Walnut street. 2

FOR RENT—No. 2920 Washington avenue; now occupied by Joseph Pulitzer, Esq. Possession May 10. Inquire of E. H. Wheaton, 2926 Washington avenue.

FOR RENT—Four-room house, stable and large grounds at Rinkleville for $7 per month. Address Van Station, C., city, on Walton avenue, south of Page avenue. 29

FOR RENT—Two-room house with kitchen, well, cistern and lot at $5 per month. Address Mrs. B., Walton avenue, south of Rage avenue, Station C, city. 29

Rooms.

212 N. THIRTEENTH—Desirable rooms, furnished and unfurnished, for gentlemen. Private family. 30

1120 PINE STREET; two unfurnished rooms for rent. 31

1121 CHESTNUT ST.—Elegantly furnished rooms at reasonable rates; central location. 1

1205 WASHINGTON AV.—Nicely-furnished rooms. 26

1211 WASHINGTON AVE.—Furnished room, second story front; elegantly furnished. 28

2309 CHESTNUT ST.—Desirable and nicely furnished back room, on third floor, suitable for gent and wife, or two gents, with board. 30

2936 LOCUST ST., with board, a delightful room, furnished or unfurnished. 2

A LADY of refinement and respectability has two very pleasant rooms furnished, for two or four gentlemen. Locality healthy and respectable. S. and E. exposure. Call at 803 North Jefferson avenue. 30

FOR RENT—Pleasant sleeping rooms on third floor at 1714 Chestnut street. 1

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished and well kept front room for two gentlemen; good neighborhood; private family; terms reasonable. Address Z., this office. 1

FOR RENT.—Elegantly furnished rooms at 1121 Pine street; reasonable rates. 31

FOR RENT—Hall room and back parlor. 1206 Washington avenue. 30

FOR RENT.—At 1349 Washington avenue, handsomely furnished front and back rooms; suitable for gents. 30

FOR RENT—A young couple occupying a nice house would like to rent one-half of it to another couple without children or servant girl. First class parties only need apply. R., this office. 29

FOR RENT—Two rooms, large barn and well cistern at $7 per month. Address Mrs. B., Station C, city, Walton avenue best place. 59

FOR RENT—1106 Locust st. Neatly kept and well furnished rooms. Gas and bath.

ROOMS—Furnished, at 1026 North Tenth street, second floor front rooms. 2

ROOMS—Furnished, with or without board. 1118 South Thirteenth street. 2

ROOMS at southwest corner Seventh and Pine for rent; furnished. 2

SUITE of nice rooms, with board, at No. 1731 Morgan street; private family: southern exposure. Reasonable rates. 2

THREE ROOMS and large storeroom for rent at 2211 Biddle street; will be rented separate to suit; terms moderate; inquire up stairs. 30

WANTED—Four young men to occupy sunny front room, southern exposure, second story, private family, good board; address S. W., this office. 30

FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE.

FOR SALE.—Desirable lots on Grand, Cook, Page, Delmar, Washington, Vandeventer place, Locust, Pine, Laclede, Lindell, Lucas and Grattan avenues.
JAS. M. CARPENTER,
312 North Sixth st.

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HOUSE AND REAL ESTATE AGENTS,

212 NORTH EIGHTH STREET.

DWELLINGS.
2231 Division st., 2-story frame, 5 rooms.
117 N. Thirteenth st., 2-story brick, 8 rooms, hall gas, etc.
2929 Thomas st., 2-story brick house, 6 rooms, hall, gas and bath.
704 Gratiot st., 3-story brick house, 10 rooms, hall, gas and bath.
1319 Poplar st., 2-story brick house, 6 rooms.
1108 N. Eighth st., 2-story brick house, 5 rooms.
1311 Poplar st., 2 story brick house, 6 rooms.
Cottage house, 3 rooms, north side Victoria st., bet. Newstead and Taylor avenue, with 50 or 100 feet of ground.
STORES.
207 S. Fourth st., store and 4 rooms, with good fire proof vault.
208 and 210 O'Fallon st., store and 4 rooms.
S. E. cor. Fourth and Elm sts., hall and rooms; lately occupied by the "Arion des Westens."
902 S. Seventh st.
27 S. Fourth st.
29 S. Fourth, cor. Walnut st.
200 S. Fourth, cor. Elm st.
2206 Franklin ave.
OFFICES.
S. E. cor. Fourth and Elm sts., very desirable offices on 2d and 3d floors.
108 and 110 Locust st., offices on 2d floor; will be put in first-class order.
325 N. Third st., 2 rooms, 2d floor.
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Desirable office on 2d floor of Temple building.
207 S. Fourth st., 2 large rooms, 2d floor, with good fire-proof vault; also 2 rooms on third floor.
ROOMS.
1235 Collins st., 2 rooms, 3d floor.
309 S. Sixth st., 2 rooms in rear.
1112 N. Eighth st., 2 rooms in rear.
1404 N. Twelfth st., 2 room, 2d floor.
2319 Franklin av., 3 rooms, 2d floor.
LANCASTER & TIERNAN,
212 N. Eighth st.

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105 NORTH EIGHTH STREET.

HOUSES.

3414 Washington avenue, 10 rooms, all modern improvements, $83 35.
109 North Eighth street, 10 rooms, modern improvements, $60.
2707 Lucas avenue, 10 rooms, all modern improvements, $75.
718 N. Twelfth, 6 rooms, $18.
1628 Lucas Place, $150.
2811 Easton av., $60.
2910 Easton av., $32 50.
1221 Chambers, $27 50.
4212 N. Ninth st., $14 50.

STORES.

700 Washington avenue.
706 North Fifth street, three stories, $125.
517 Olive street, $125.
607 Chestnut street, $50.
1137 North Sixth street, store and 5 rooms, $40.
1621 North Fifth street, $20.
1135 North Sixth street, store and rooms, $30.
214 Walnut street, $15.
409 Wash street, $9.
2813 Easton avenue, store, 2 rooms and cellar, $30.

FOR RENT.

DWELLINGS.
1113 VALLE AVE.—Two-story stone front, French roof, 10 rooms, finished in first-class style; hot and cold water and every convenience. Side and alley entrance.
2814 OLIVE ST.—Three-story brick, 12 rooms, hall, gas, bath, hot and cold water: range and furnace; large stable; yard.
1413 CHESTNUT ST.—Three-story stone front, 15 rooms, large hall; every convenience.
810 WASHINGTON AVE.—Two-story brick, 6 rooms; hydrant in yard.
712 S. FIFTH—3-story brick, 8 rooms, hall, gas, etc.
919 SALISBURY ST.—Two-story brick, 8 rooms; hall, gas, bath, back yard.
317 SOUTH THIRD ST.—Two-story brick, 6 rooms; water free.
Several suburban residences.
Family rooms in all parts of city.
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1816 POPLAR ST.—Stable; room for 6 horses.
1427 NORTH TENTH ST.—Stable; room for 3 horses.
JOHN BYRNE, JR., & CO.,
603 Pine street.

WANTED—ROOMS.

BY a family of three persons, three or four furnished rooms suitable for light housekeeping, convenient to street cars. Address "Comfort," this office. 26

BY TWO, married couple, no children, six rooms, or six-room house with hall; state price; address J. M., this office. 30

DESK room wanted. D. & T., this office.

SINGLE gentleman wants fur. room, good location for summer, immediately; state terms. Watson, this office.

TWO young men desire furnished room not more than six blocks from cor. Fifth and Olive streets. Address J. K., this office. 26

THREE rooms and kitchen (and bath if possible) between Fifteenth and Twenty-fifth streets, Cass avenue and Madison street, by a young couple. Address Clerk, this office. 2

TWO ROOMS for housekeeping by a small family, no children, wanted; rent not to exceed $6. Address "Van Meter," 1210 South Fourth street. 25

WANTED—The occasional use of pleasant furnished room in quiet locality. Parties first-class. Address W. R. X., this office. 30

WANTED—Young couple desire a nice front room in choice locality, with board for lady or convenient to board, furnished or unfurnished. Ref. ex. Address with price and particulars Cadmus, this office. 1

WANTED—Two or three furnished rooms for light housekeeping, by gent and wife; ref. ex. Add. X. G., this office. 30

WANTED—By a gentleman and wife, room and board in a family where no other boarders are kept; reference required. Address stating terms, etc., J. J., this office. 30

WANTED—Well furnished room for two gents, with or without board; ten minutes walk of 5th and Washington ave. Address R. D., this office. 29

WANTED—Well furnished room for gent within ten minutes walk of 5th and Washington ave. Address O, this office. 29

WANTED—A large room or a share in one by a debating society. Must be south of Chouteau avenue. Address P. C., this office. 29

WANTED—Two unfurnished rooms for housekeeping, by party without children. Ref. exchanged. Address Rooms, this office. 28

WANTED—DWELLINGS.

A FURNISHED house wanted, near Lafayette Park or western part of city. Will board owners. Address L. N. 7, this office. 2

AN eight-room house with halls, bath and closet, in good order; rent not to exceed $30; North St. Louis preferred. Address Careful Tenant, this office. 1

WANTED—By a young married couple, a nicely situated country residence, furnished or unfurnished, not more than 8 or 10 miles from city limits; also accessible to railroad. Best of reference given. Address P. W. 24, this office. 28

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2650 BUELL ST.—Seven-room brick, and stable, yard, etc.
6-room brick on Beckwith street, near Chouteau avenue.
Two small bricks, on Barsaloux st., near Sidney; $2,500.
6-room brick and yard, on Bell street, west of Grand avenue; $2,500.
2709 Broadway, large, well-built house; $6,500.
Caroline street, west of Twenty-sixth st., 9 rooms, yard, etc.; $6,000.
Stone-front, 10 rooms, Chestnut, west of Thirty-fourth street.
Four brick houses on Wash, near Twenty-fourth street; $8,000.
7-room brick, Carr st., west of Twenty-first st., 25-foot lot; $4,500.
9-room brick, modern, Chestnut, east of Twenty-seventh st., $5,000.
3-room cottage, 25-foot lot, Caswell, near Thirty-third st.; $1,000.
10-room stone-front, modern, Dillon st., near Park ave.; $5,500.
7-room brick and stable, Dickson st., west of Twenty-seventh st., $3,500,
9-room stone front, Dickson st., near Twenty-ninth st.; $6,000.
6-room brick, yard, etc., Easton ave., near Thirty-fifth st.; $3,500.
10-room brick, yard and stable, on Eighth st., near Hickory; $5,000.
6-room brick, modern, Evans, near Prairie ave.; $3,800.
6-room brick, on Fourteenth st., near Chouteau ave.; $2,000.
Two large stores, stone-fronts, Fifth st., near Morgan st.
Store and 25 foot lot, Franklin ave., east of Eighteenth st.
Two stores and tenement in rear, Franklin ave., near Twentieth st.
7-room stone-front, Finney ave., west of Grand ave.; $4,000.
6-room brick, Hickory st., near Twenty-third st.; $2,400.
9-room brick and Mansard, Jefferson ave. and Carr street.
Four small houses at a bargain, Jefferson ave, near Scudder.
10-room stone-front and 50-foot lot, nice house, on Laclede ave.; $7,500.
6-room stone-front, on Lindell, east of Grand ave.; $5,500.
5-room brick, on Laclede avenue, west of Twenty-ninth street; $2,000.
6-room brick, on Laclede avenue, near Thirtieth street; $3,000.
9-room stone-front, Morgan, near Garrison avenue; $8,000.
20-room brick, modern, Garrison and Morgan street; or will exchange for small dwelling houses.
10-room stone front, Morgan, near Thirty-third street; $6,500.
6-room brick, Market, near Thirty-first street.
8-room stone front, on Montrose, near Clark avenue; $4,000.
12-room stone front, on Nineteenth street, near Wash; $6,500.
10-room brick, well rented, Pine, near Eleventh.
9-room brick, South Park place, 50x100 lot.
7-room brick, Penrose, west of Jefferson avenue.
11-room brick, Summit, south of Clark.
7-room brick, Stoddard and Jefferson.
9-room brick, on Sixth, near Elm street; $5,000.
Two houses and stores on Seventh street, near Carr; or will exchange for good building lots.
Two large stores on Sixth street, near Market.
7-room brick, on Salomon avenue, fronting Park; $2,500.
6-room brick, Scott avenue, near High; $3,500.
7-room brick, Sheridan avenue, near Thirty-first street; $4,000.
4-room house and stable, on Twenty-second, near Cass avenue; $1,500.
7-room brick, on Twentieth street, near Carr; $2,500.
7-room brick, on Thomas, near Twenty-ninth street; $4,000.
10-room stone-front, Washington avenue, near Thirty-fourth street.
7-room brick, Walnut, near Twenty-eighth street; modern; $3,000.
AND
In Addition to Above, We Have Some Desirable BLOCKS of DWELLINGS and STORES On Wash, Stoddard, Sidney and Twentieth streets, Jefferson, Webster, Elliot and Franklin aves.
LOTS.
50 feet on Biddle st., with improvements, near Nineteenth st.
25 feet on Chanping ave.
50 feet on Carr st., west of Twentieth st.
75 feet on Dickson st., near Elliot ave.
50 feet on Lucas ave., west of Thirty-third st.
90 feet on Carr st., west of Nineteenth st.
75 feet on Carr st., west of Twenty-first st.
65 feet on Compton ave., near Park ave.
32 feet on Carondelet ave., near Harper.
300 feet on Clara, near Scudder st.
40 feet on Sherman, west of Thirty-fourth st.
400 feet on Finley ave., near Celeste.
75 feet (leasehold), Franklin ave. and Twenty-third st.
50 feet on Jefferson ave. and Scudder.
25 feet on Jefferson ave., near Benton.
31 feet on Jefferson ave., near Pacific.
25 feet on Morgan, near Garrison ave.
400 feet on Washington ave. and Olive street road.
300 feet on Olive st., near Taylor ave.
150 feet on Parsons st. and Prairie ave.
43 feet on Page, near Morgan st.
200 feet on Gravois road and Compton ave.
345 feet on Second and Harper sts., good manufacturing property.
20 feet on Virginia st.
50 feet on Wash, near Nineteenth st.
25 feet on Wash st., near Twenth-fourth st.
65 feet on Wash st., near Twenty-sixth st.
75 feet on Wash st., near Twenty-third st.
We also have some desirable suburban acre lots and country property we will exchange for city, and productive city property that we can trade for good farms, well located.
REAL ESTATE WANTED.
Parties having houses from four to seven rooms in any good or eligible locality will do well to call and see us, as we have cash purchasers who wish to buy immediately, or we will buy any good lots.

BUDD & WADE,

612 OLIVE STEET.

We can offer for sale on three, four or five years time, at 6 per cent interest for deferred payment, the following property:

LOTS.

$35 to $40 per foot for lots on Baker avenue, between Cabanne and Vandeventer.
$30 to $35 per foot for lots on Delmar avenue, west of Vandeventer.
$20 to $25 per foot for lots on Forest Park Boulevard, west of Cabanne.
$100 to $125 per foot for lots on Lindell avenue, between Grand and Cabanne.
$75 per foot for lots on Franklin avenue, between Ware and Grand.
$25 per foot for lots on Cass avenue, 200 feet west of Webster avenue.
$100 per foot for lots on Chestnut, between Fifteenth and Sixteenth streets.
$40 per foot for lots on Rutger and Hickory streets, near Lafayette Park.
$20 per foot for lots on Baker avenue, between Sarah and Boyle streets.
$60 per foot for lots on Olive, between Channing and Compton.
$40 to $45 per foot for lot on Jefferson and Scott avenue, 259x167.
$45 per foot for lot on Olive street, between Grand and Cabanne.
$40 per foot for lot on Olive street, just west of Cabanne.
$250 per foot for lot on southwest corner Fourth and Spruce, foundation, etc.
$60 per foot for lot on Second street, between Bates and Cass avenue.
$35 per foot for lot on Washington avenue, near Boyle.
$140 per foot for the best lot around Lafayette Park, high ground, 75x200.

DWELLINGS.

$1,400 will buy on monthly payments, 6 per cent. interest, two-story bricks, 6 rooms, water and gas. Convenient to cars and good neighborhood.
$6,500 will buy 2-story 10-room house, laundry, hall, gas, hot and cold bath, marble mantles. No. 1214 St. Ange avenue.
$5,000 will buy two-story brick, 9 rooms, all improvements; stable, carriage house, etc.; lot 50x145, on northeast corner Sixteenth and Papin.
$3,500 will buy any one of Nos. 14, 16, 20 Compton avenue. Two-story mansard, 8 rooms, hall and gas.
$2,250 will buy 2132 and 2134 on Carr street.
Also fine property on Third, Second and Main streets, centrally located and renting well. Call and examine our lists.

FOR SALE.—A large amount of business and suburban exchange for St. Louis City or suburban property.
Six two-story six room dwellings on Eugenia st.
Five three-story ten room dwellings on Seventh st.
A corner business property paying good interest.
Two stone front dwellings, nine rooms, 100 feet front.
Lot 20x98, on Thirteenth st., south of Chouteau av.
House and lot, No. 1720 Carondelet av.
Lot 25x128, Fifth, north of Gratiot st.
No. 625 South Fifth street, ten room dwelling.
House of six rooms and lot, No. 1121 South Twelfth street.
House and large lot No. 2014 State street.
No. 2912 Clark avenue, six rooms.
98x250 feet on College avenue.
148x320 feet on Bellefontaine road.
A substantial business house on North Second st.
Residence of six rooms, 1¼ acres, Webster Groves.
House of nine rooms and lot on Manchester road.
A residence of twelve rooms at Kirkwood.
House of six rooms and lot, 3117 Elizabeth street.
House of ten rooms and lot 1017 Pine street.
Building lot on Finney avenue.
House of nine rooms and lot 912 Walnut street.
548x360 on Magnolia avenue, opposite park.
A store and dwelling, corner Clark and Compton avenue.
And a large amount of other property.
JOHN MAGUIRE,
519 Walnut street.

FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE.

E. S. WARNER & CO.,

REAL ESTATE AGENTS,

205 North Eighth St.,

OFFER FOR SALE

The following residence, business and vacant property:
"GERARDI PLACE"—On Washington avenue, near Grand, one of the choicest pieces of property in the city. Price and terms reasonable.
LUCAS AVENUE—Two neat stone front houses, containing every convenience. A first-class investment.
MORGAN STREET—Three handsome brick houses; first-class and under lease; pays 10 per cent.
PINE STREET—One two and one three story stone front residences at a bargain.
MISSOURI AVENUE—Two two story brick houses near Lafayette Park. Will trade for lot in the western part of city.
PARK AVENUE—A neat two story brick house, six rooms; good yard. Price, $2,500.
MANCHESTER ROAD—Two story brick house; fifty feet of ground; cheap.

BUSINESS PROPERTY.

OLIVE STREET, East of Twelfth; owner will improve for a responsible party and lease for ten years.
LOCUST STREET, East of Eleventh, large and substantial building, lot 40x109 feet.
PINE STREET. Several choice pieces between Ninth and Sixteenth streets.
SPRUCE STREET, between Twelfth and Fourteenth, lot 120x145 feet.
PACIFIC RAILROAD.
Large manufacturing lot, 200x200 feet, fronting the track.

VACANT LOTS.

ON LINDELL, BAKER and LACLEDE AVENUES, between GRAND and FOREST PARK; large number of choice building sites at prices which will double in the next few years.
ALSO LOTS in various parts of the city to suit all classes.
For full information as to prices and terms apply to our office.

205 NORTH EIGHTH STREET.

BRYAN OBEAR,

REAL ESTATE AGENT,

719 Chestnut Street.

1921 LUCAS AVE.—9 rooms, 2-story brick; lot 27x144½. Price $3,250.

2634 OLIVE ST.—14 rooms, all conveniences, in first-class order; lot 30x100. Price $8,000.

One splendid double two-story Residence on Grand avenue, near Morgan street, 25 rooms, all modern improvements and conveniences; lot 125x150. For sale at nearly one-half of the original cost.

Handsome Residence of ten rooms on Grand ave., betw. Bell and Finney avenues, west side; lot 46x310. For sale cheap.

FOR SALE.

KERNAN & FARIS,

REAL ESTATE AGENTS,

210 NORTH EIGHTH STREET,

Offer at special bargains the following property:

HOUSES.
Three very neat 6-room houses, with all modern conveniences, on Chestnut, near Twenty-first street, at $3,200 each.
One desirable 6-room house on Pine, near Twenty-third street, at $4,200.
One desirable 7-room house on Adams street, West Jefferson avenue, $3,100.
One 10-room stone front, 50x134 feet, Pine street, near Garrison avenue, $9,000.
One 10-room stone front, 50x134 feet, Morgan street, near Grand avenue, $13,000.
One 10-room brick front 50x134 feet, Washington, near Grand avenue, $10,000.
One 8-room house on Olive near Twenty-first street, $4,000.
One 6-room house on Thirteenth, near Chestnut street, $3,200.
One 6-room house on Spring, near Twenty-third street, $3,000.
One 10-room stone front, Papin, near Sixteenth street, $5,000.
Two 3-story brick houses on Eighteenth and Ohio streets, $17,000.
One stone front on Laclede avenue, near Garrison, $7,500.
One stone front near Twenty-first and Chestnut, $5,200.
LOTS.
100 feet on Washington avenue, opposite McPherson homestead, $50 per foot.
25 feet N. S. Olive, West Garrison avenue, $60 per foot.
122 feet on E. S. Seventh street, opposite Pacific Railroad depot, $150 per foot.
60 feet on S. E. cor. Cabanne avenue and Olive street, $70 per foot.
32 feet on E. S. Mississippi avenue, opposite Lafayette Park, $100 per foot.
25 feet on E. S. Broadway, second north of Labeaume street, at low price.
300 feet on the high ground of Lindell Place, at low price.
100 feet on S. S. Page avenue, West of Vandeventer avenue, at low price.
33 feet on N. S. Penrose, bet. Clay avenue and Clay street, at low price.
77 feet on S. E. cor. Elliott and Vineyard streets, at low price.
50x150 feet on N. S. Park avenue, East of Jefferson avenue, $50 per foot.
300 lots in Stamford Addition on Chouteau avenue, Sarah, Elizabeth, Caroline streets, Park avenue and other streets near Jefferson avenue, at very low prices.
59 feet on Chestnut street, near Garrison avenue, $70 per foot.
168 feet on Lewis street, opposite the elevator, at low price; also several very desirable farms.
KERNAN & FARIS,
210 N. Eighth street.

FOR SALE—A handsome 10-room house in Stoddard Addition, lot 35x130 .... $ 9,000
A well-built 5-room house, lot 75x125, on Easton av. near Prairie av. 3,000
3-story brick house, St. Charles st. near Eighth 5,000
2623 and 25 Franklin av., two stores and 18 rooms, lot 50x120 13,500
20 residences in Stoddard Addition, from $5,500 to $20,000 each.
196x228 near Cotton Compress Co. and railroad, good location for manufactory, with double brick 5,000
120x160 n. s. Hickory, near St. Ange av., per foot 55
40x109 s. s. Olive near Twenty-third st., per foot 80
55x130 n. s. Morgan st. near Compton av., per foot 55
41x144.7 e. s. Leonard av. near Franklin av., per foot 35
405x120 s. s. Parson and e. s. Prairie aves., per foot 20
102.6x58-248 w. s. Main st. to railroad near Angelica st., per foot 25
400x127.6 on Henriette and Sarsfield avenues at $15 per foot 5,000
25x128 on n. s. Chestnut street near Compton, per foot 50
290x140 on w. s. Main street near Buchanan avenue, per foot 15
55-89x140 on e. s. Second street near Buchanan avenue; per foot 20
50x134.6 s. w. corner Washington and Channing avenues; per foot 110
50x128.6 n. side Laclede avenue near Channing avenue; per foot 40
1,960x135 in Wash's subdivision, in lots of 35 to 50 feet front; per foot from $4 50 to $10.
400x115 in Bryan's addition, in 50-foot lots; per foot from $5 to $15.
218x125 on Grand avenue near Tower Grove Park; per foot $30.
106 acres in Gamble's second subdivision of Rose Hill, subdivided into lots of 100x241 feet; beautiful location near public school; single fare on Franklin avenue car line after 1st May next.
EDGAR MILLER,
Real Estate Agent, 716 Chestnut st.

FOR SALE CHEAP—No. 3536 Olive street—Full 3-story stone-front house of 11 rooms, is now ready to be occupied.
No. 3227 Chestnut street—A new 8-room; stone-front will be finished in 30 days, and will be sold cheap.
D. B. BRENNAN,
708 Chestnut street.

FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE.

PROPERTY FOR SALE.

FOR SALE BY

GRETHER & BOECK,

207 NORTH EIGHTH STREET.

LOTS FOR RESIDENCE PURPOSES.
100x234, Washington avenue, near Grand.
75x118, Dayton street, near Garrison avenue.
50x134, Bell street, near Channing avenue.
55x118, Dickson street, near Garrison avenue.
100x165, Grand avenue, near Baker.
50x120, Leonard avenue, near School street.
75x134, Lucas and Leffingwell avenues.
50x144, Morgan, east of Twenty-third street.
125x262, Lafayette, near Grand avenue.
50x125, Second Carondelet, near Lafayette avenues.
LOTS FOR BUSINESS PURPOSES.
75x125, Corner on Franklin (Easton avenue) and Twenty-ninth street, very cheap.
25x140, Easton, opposite Webster avenue.
50x130, Cass and Grand avenues.
58x104, Corner Park avenue and Morton (Thirteenth) street.
80x120, Corner Lafayette and Second Carondelet avenue.
60x94, Southeast corner Walnut and Twenty-first, very cheap.
DWELLINGS.
Three-story stone, Bell street, near Garrison avenue.
Three-story brick, 50 foot lot, Madison street, near Twelfth.
Two-story mansard, Washington avenue, near Ewing, 75 feet.
Three-story stone front, Pine street, near Garrison avenue, 30 feet.
Two-story brick, Pine street, near Compton avenue, 40 feet.
Two-story brick, six rooms, Wash street, near Twenty-fourth, only $1,700.
Two-story brick, West Sixteenth and Benton streets, lot 25 feet, for only $1,500.
Two-story brick, Howard street, near Second, lot 22.6x100, only $1,000.
Two-story brick, corner Eleventh and Warren, only $3,600.
Two-story brick, six rooms, water, etc., Twelfth, near Spring, only $1,350.
LEASEHOLD.—Thirteen years yet to run, centrally located and netting $1,000 per annum, at a bargain.
Carr, between Eighteenth and Nineteenth, a two-story brick; lot 25x155, $3,000.
Cherokee, a brick dwelling; lot 83x125 (corner), $2,400.
☞ We have money to loan in large or small sums at six and seven per cent on real estate security.

GRETHER & BOECK,
207 North Eighth Street.

BRYAN OBEAR,

Real Estate Agent,

719 Chestnut Street,

HAS FOR SALE:

1523 CENTRE ST.—3 room brick house, lot 25x125. Price $1,200.

1525 CENTRE ST.—10 room, 2 story, mansard brick, all conveniences, good order. Price $4,000.

2300 ROSATTI ST.—10 rooms, all conveniences, 35x123. Price $5,500.

2804 LAFAYETTE AVE.—8 rooms, all conveniences; 22x190. Price $4,250.

Several handsome building lots in the western part of city and fronting on Lafayette avenue.

HAS FOR RENT:

That handsome residence of 10 rooms, all conveniences, 2½ acres of ground, with vineyard and orchard on it, corner of Page and Jones avenue.

BRYAN OBEAR,
719 Chestnut Street.

FOR SALE—North Stoddard Addition, a good 7-room house with every modern improvement; front, side and rear yards.
S. D. PORTER & CO.,
203 N. Eighth street.

FOR SALE—We are offering houses from four to fifteen rooms for investments or homes in every part of the city. Those wishing to buy, call and get our prices and locations.
S. D. PORTER & CO.,
203 N. Eighth street.

FOR SALE—Leonard avenue, near Franklin avenue, a good 8 room house, with all modern improvements: lot 50 feet front; can be had low.
S. D. PORTER & CO.,
203 N. Eighth street.

FOR SALE—A fine business corner down town bringing a net income of 9 per cent on price asked. Capitalists will do well to give this their attention; for full particulars apply to
S. D. PORTER & CO.,
203 N. Eighth street.

FOR SALE—Carondelet avenue, corner Pestalozzi; several fine building lots offered low.
S. D. PORTER & CO.,
203 N. Eighth street.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

We are prepared to make loans on city real estate in sums from $500 to $100,000, at six, seven and eight per cent. Parties having good security wishing to borrow will always find it to their interest to give us a call.
S. D. PORTER & CO.,
203 N. Eighth street.

RETAIL DRUGGISTS, ATTENTION.

Public Administrator's Sale of a Drug-Store.

I WILL offer at private sale for a few days the old and well established retail drug store on the southeast corner of Third and Market streets in this city, belonging to the estate of the late Hugo Krebs, deceased.

This is one among the oldest and best stands for a retail drug store in the city of St. Louis, the store having been used for that purpose and no other for forty years, and several fortunes have been made there. This is a rare opportunity for any party desiring to enter into that line of business.

The above stock of drugs, together with the good will of the business, will be offered at private sale until the 11th day of April, 1881, and if not sold before that time, I will offer the entire stock at public auction

ON FRIDAY, THE 15TH DAY OF APRIL, 1881.

Sale to commence at 10 o'clock, a. m., on the premises. Terms cash.

For particulars call at my office.

MARTROM D. LEWIS.
Public Administrator City of St. Louis.
Office Room 10, 2d floor, Ins. Building, N. W. Cor. Sixth and Locust streets.
St. Louis, April 2, 1881. 51N

LEGAL.

Administrators' Notices.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE OF LETTERS—De bonis non. No 12,6?0. In re estate of Julia Presley. Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order of the Probate Court for the city of St. Louis, made on the 30th of March, 1881, I have taken charge of the estate of
Julia Presley,
deceased, de bonis non.
The authority of Peter Weiss, former administrator, ceased on the 19th day of March, 1880, by reason of the revocation of his letters.
MARTROM D. LEWIS.
Public Administrator of the city of St. Louis. Office N. W. corner Sixth and Locust sts., Ins. Building, St. Louis, Mo., April 2, 1881. 50N

Trustees' Sales.

MORTGAGEE'S SALE.—Pursuant to the provisions of a chattel mortgage made by John Dunham to Hunt Owen, dated 4th of April, 1879, recorded in St. Louis city book, p. p. 16, page 230, I will, on Tuesday, the 12th day of April, 1881, at 12 o'clock noon of said day, at the east front door of the Court-house in said city, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, the following described personal property, to-wit: One pair hand leaver shears, one hand lever punch, one set boiler-makers' rollers, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the debt and costs secured by chattel mortgage.
52N HUNT OWEN,
Mortgagee.

BEARDED BEAUTIES.

St. Louis Girls Who Are Blessed With Mustaches.

Interesting Talk With a Gentleman Who Removes Superfluous Hirsute Adornments.

When Macbeth remarks to the witches, "You should be women, and yet your beards forbid me to interpret that you are so," he shows that he was not exactly a graduate of any regular school of medicine. It is a fact that the feminine face is sometimes adorned with hirsute trimmings, and that ladies can often boast as fair a moustache as many of the masculine attendants. Bearded women are generally classed in the same category as mermaids and are supposed to exist nowhere outside the fertile brain of the side show man, but medical works contain numerous examples of luxuriant beards and moustaches upon female faces. Anybody who walks up or down Fourth street any afternoon, and who is rude enough to scan closely the faces of the female promenaders, will notice in some cases fair indications of something stronger than down upon the upper lip of many a beauty, and in other cases, clear evidence that the obnoxious growth has been removed by the use of lather and a keen-edged razor. A curious story ran the rounds of society a few months ago and furnished a seven-day sensation. The gist of it was that a belle, a well-known resident of the West End, shaved frequently. Her maid happened to handle the razor very deftly, and was metamorphosed into a barber, and the young lady was generally remarked for the clearness of her complexion. One evening, so rumor runs, in the hurry of preparations for the theater, her escort pulled the door bell while the young lady was still in the hands of the tonsorial artist. A hurried toilet was the result. The maid was not as careful as usual. The result was that certain straggling but aggravating black hairs remained plainly visible. They were noticed, and before the young lady returned from the theater she knew that her secret was divulged. The consequence was a row with her barber. The latter, discharged from her employment, was not as silent as she might have been, and the result was that the matter was soon the talk of the town. Several other society ladies are ranked as shavers, but with what truth can not be stated. It is a fact, however, that a great many ladies of the city are under treatment for this deformity, and one physician makes it a specialty. He is located on Washington avenue, and in receipt of a lucrative income derived principally from his treatment of cases of this kind. Prof. Cameron, who is at present visiting the city, is also a specialist in this line, and he reports the cases as numerous. A POST-DISPATCH reporter called upon the professor to-day and learned from him some interesting facts in regard to the subject. "Yes," said the Professor, when asked about the frequency of such cases. "There are a considerable number of ladies so afflicted. The trouble usually occurs in women who are of a dark complexion, and more frequently in middle age than in youth. When you see a dark woman with large bushy eyebrows, which nearly grow together, you may be pretty sure that she can grow an imperial, if she will only take the necessary pains. Hirsute adornments are not so frequent in young women, although they sometimes occur. A girl often has a heavy growth of down upon the upper lip or the chin. It annoys her and she keeps feeling it and pulling it continually. Perhaps she endeavors to clip it with a scissors, or in some cases to shave it away. The result is a heavier growth the next time, which becomes so prominent that it must be removed. The most frequent place where the hair makes its appearance is on the upper lip or the chin, although it sometimes appears on the side of the face and even on the throat. As a general thing I believe that those bearded women which are advertised by shows are frauds, but in the course of my practice I have seen more than one woman who could raise a heavy beard if she only wished to cultivate it."

"Do many women shave?"

"Why yes, a great many more than is generally supposed. They hide the traces that the shaving leaves with heavy doses of powder and plaster. Whenever you see a lady, especially if she be middle-aged, and more especially if she be dark-featured, wearing a heavy coating of lily white, one of the conclusions is that she has been shaving, although it is not the only inference. One thing is certain a lady who shaves must use powder in large quantities, and there are many ladies who shave.

"Is this superfluous facial decoration easily removed?"

"No, it is not. All the books recommend depilatories, but these are usually of little service. They are composed mainly of quick lime and orpiment, which is a preparation of arsenic, and the only effect is to cut off the hair to the surface of the skin, leaving the root intact to grow again. There is also another mode of treatment, but it is so slow and painful and requires the aid of so skillful an operator that it is seldom used. In this latter, which is known as the electric method, the patient sits in a chair, holding in her right hand a sponge which is connected with the negative pole of an electric battery. The operator holds a needle or fine wire which is connected with the positive pole, and this he thrusts with a quick motion down into each cell or follicle, thus destroying the root. Every time the needle touches the skin, a severe shock is caused, which will cause a nervous patient to scream out with pain, and if the operator is a bungler, or if his nerve is not very steady, he will miss his mark and cause more intense agony. Not more than one, or at most two dozen hairs can be attended to at one sitting—indeed, very few patients can sit for one-fourth of the last number—and hence you will see that the operation is extremely painful. Sometimes women attempt to operate upon themselves. They heat needles and endeavor to introduce them into the capillary cells. The usual result is that the carbon, which accumulates in the needle during heating, is imbedded in the epidermis, or underskin, and a first-class case of tattooing is the result. Then, again, many ladies use acids for the purpose, and permanently scar their faces. Others remove the hair with tweezers, etc."

The practitioner on Washington avenue, previously mentioned, uses the electric method. His prices are high, as much as $300 being charged for uprooting one poor little silky moustache. He has a great many patients at this rate, however, and does a thriving business. In view of the above facts, it would be wise for the young men who are meditating matrimony, and who are not anxious to marry natural curiosities, to get on kissing terms with their girl as soon as possible and to avail themselves of this right on every possible occasion. Pay particular attention to the feel of the upper lip at every test, for that is the place where the trouble is likely to occur. If the lady does not shave very often, this test will be sure to detect the pressure of this unpleasant addition to the female countenance.

The climax reached in cigarettes! The Opera Puff, saliva proof, will not stick to the lips.

Local Brevities.

The Central Committee of the Greenback Labor Party met last night and appointed committees to take charge of all matters pertaining to the election.

The Republicans held a caucus at Turner Hall last night, with John H. Pohlman in the chair. Speeches were made by Wm. L. Ewing, Emil Preetorius, C. I. Filley and others.

The Building Committee of the School Board met last night. A committee from the Mechanics' Exchange was in attendance to suggest a change in the form of the advertisements asking for bids upon the new school-houses. The committee decided to readvertise.

The School Board Committee on Ways and Means met last night. Hon. Thos. Allen made a proposition relative to purchasing several lots lately leased by the Board to him as site for the hotel, one condition of the lease being that Allen should have the option of purchasing at $5,000. The committee agreed to recommend to the Board that Mr. Allen's proposition be accepted.

PARTIES residing in the country requiring the AID of GLASSES will, on application, receive full instructions to enable them to give us the information we require to fit them accurately. MERMOD, JACCARD & CO., Fourth and Locust.

ON and after April 1, Mr. Paul Pietri, formerly of Frank & Paul restaurant on Sixth street, will have the entire control of the second and third story rooms over the Metropolitan Restaurant, No. 214 North Fourth street, consisting of a large dining-room and a number of upper rooms. The whole management of the above will be run under his personal supervision. He will be pleased to welcome his old customers and friends.

THE ART SALE.

The art sale at Pettes & Leathe's gallery on Thursday and Friday evenings was attended by nearly all the artists and patrons of art in the city. Some valuable works were sold at very low prices, although in a few instances the competition was quite brisk. Taken as a whole the sale was a success, and in order to give everybody an opportunity of purchasing the few canvases remaining, which include some of the best paintings in the collection, a supplementary sale will take place on Monday evening. New York was represented among the bidders on Thursday and Friday, as will be seen from the following marginal notes of the prominent paintings put up and the prices realized:

"The Connoisseur," by Guardebassi, $224 50, purchased for Mr. James Clark, New York; "Autumn on the Housatonic," by McCord, $170, same purcaser; "Near Dordrect," by Henry Chase, $175, purchased by Ike Cook; "The Road by the Stream," by Bellows, $110, purchased by Mr. D. F. Colville; "Autumn," by Knapp, purchased by D. P. Slattery; "Cottage Interior," Kool, $78, purchased by Mrs. Peter; "Scene in Holland," by DeBree, $70, purchased for James Clarke; "Landscape and Sheep," Le Bret, $76 50, purchased by Mr. Ghio.

The more important works were reserved for sale last evening. Active and spirited competition followed the first bid on Lambinet's magnificent landscape, "The Village of Quineville," and it was finally knocked down to a purchaser for Mr. Clarke at $1,360. There was some lively bidding on Josh Coomans' "Reverie," a work of exquisite coloring and delicacy. It went for $730. Chas. Wimar's "On the Trail" brought $635, Mr. Gale being the purchaser. Mr. D. F. Colville carried off one of the leading pictures of the collection, "Morning, Driving out the Flock," by Otto Gebler. The other notable sales last evening were as follows: "Under Full Sail," by E. Baker, $92, sold to Mr. Tayler; "Sunset, Blarney Castle," $95, sold to Mr. Nelson; Harry Chase's "English Pilot Boat," $135, a remarkably low price; "A Sheep Cot," Van Severdonck, $175, purchased by A. Gale; "The Three Friends," by Velten, $75; "Lake Windermere," Van Starkenburgh, $255, purchased by B. R. Bonner; "Interior of Sheep-fold," Van Leemputten, 304; water-color, "Spring on the Marne," J. H. Lebas, purchased by R. J. Lucas.

The Brenner Collection.

Artists and members of the press were invited last evening to a private view of Carl Brenner's collection at B. E. Thonssen's new gallery, 608 Olive street. These paintings are to be sold on Wednesday and Thursday evenings, next week, on the popular auction plan. The new gallery is admirably adapted to a display of art, and Mr. Thonssen was congratulated last evening upon his enterprise in adding a new and attractive feature to his establishment. The wall are adorned with seventy-six of Carl Brenner's original paintings. His high artistic merit is so universally conceded that little need be said here in calling the attention of art circles to this superb collection. The paintings were not prepared for public sale, but are the product of the great artist's easel, the accumulation of time and study and in every work conscientious attention to detail is strongly marked. There are some gems in beech studies and some admirably finished work is shown in the following among other paintings: No. 67, "Wood Scene," 25x30; No. 21, "The Brook," 18x30; No. 16, "October Snow;" No. 66, Woodland Study;" No. 59, "Above Eagle Falls, near Cumberland Falls;" No. 33, "The Coming Storm, Ohio River Valley;" No. 21, "Indian Summer." The clouding of the Ohio River Valley before the storm is a marvellous piece of work from nature. The artist is happiest in his wood scenes. Such a collection as that now offered for sale may be considered altogether an important feature in St. Louis art circles. The paintings will be on exhibition at Thonssen's gallery every day, and the first sale will take place on Wednesday evening.

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CONDENSED TELEGRAMS.

Judge Henry K. Eaton, of Edwarsdville, Ill., died on Friday.

The Texas Legislature has adjourned *sine die*. The prohibition bill was defeated.

D. S. Fitch, one of the oldest Ohio Democratic editors, died at Dayton on Friday.

An idiot girl at Brooklyn, Indiana, died in childbirth on Friday, accusing her grand-father of the cause of her trouble.

The wife of J. L. Phillips, of Joplin, Mo., disappeared with $1,000 of her husband's money and was arrested in her flight on Friday.

Martin A. Thomas, a blacksmith of Branchville, N. C., coolly killed his wife with a load of buckshot on the front porch and then went to bed.

During a dance-house difficulty at Fort Davis, Texas, Wm. Powell, of the Tenth Cavalry, shot and killed his paramour, a Mexican woman.

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POLITICAL.

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WILLIAM H. COZENS,
Democratic Nominee for
President Board of Public Improvements.

JOSEPH STERN
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HOUSE OF DELEGATES
From the Eighteenth Ward. Election, Tuesday, April 5, 1881.

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MONDAY THE 28TH DAY OF MARCH, 1881,

and on each and every day of the week, ending the 2d day of April, 1881, between the hours of 9 o'clock in the forenoon and four o'clock in the afternoon, in TIVOLI HALL, northeast corner of Fourth and Elm streets, in the city of St. Louis, Mo.

Entrance to hall on Elm street, first door east of Fourth street.

As the estate is about to be closed, all creditors are respectfully requested to collect their respective dividends on one of the days above named, as under the law all uncollected dividends must be turned over to the clerk of the Circuit Court of the city of St. Louis, Mo.

JOHN H. FISSE,
Assignee of the Peoples' Savings Institution.

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will, for the purpose of closing up said assignment, sell at auction to the highest bidder, the remainder of the stock of marble merchandise and supplies of said firm, consisting in part of 12 Marble Mantels, about 60 marble center pieces for mantels, a lot of unfinished mantels, 1 fine Bessel grate, a lot of incomplete grates, a lot of marble shelves; a lot of plumbers' slabs and wash stands; a lot of grit and pummice stone; a fine lot of Lisbon marble in slabs, a lot of Rutland, Tenn., and black marble tile, and a large lot of pieces of marble; also a wagon and harness. The sale will be for cash, on

Wednesday, the 13th Day of April, 1881,

at the store of the Hinsdale-Doyle Granite Co., No. 1119 Olive street, beginning at 10 o'clock a. m. The property may be seen at any time before the sale on the premises.

DANIEL O. BUTTERFIELD,
Assignee of Wm. Sullivan & Co.

Klein & Fisse, Att'ys.
St. Louis, April 1, 1881.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

WHEREAS, the Circuit Court, city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, at the February term thereof, in the year 1881, February 28, 1881, in the matter of partition between Louis H. Lee, Elmira Benoist and her husband, Eugene H. Benoist, Charles H. Lee, Wm. H. Lee and John Perry Lee, by his guardian, Theophile Papin, plaintiffs, against Roger S. Lee, defendant, made an order appointing the undersigned special commissioner to sell the real estate in said order mentioned, and which is hereinafter particularly described. Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that the undersigned commissioner, acting under and by virtue of said order, will proceed to sell the real estate in said order mentioned, and which is hereinafter particularly described, at the time and place hereinafter stated, to the highest bidder, on the terms of one-third of the purchase money to be paid in cash at the time of sale and the balance in two equal installments, in one and two years from the day of sale, with interest at the rate of six per cent per annum, to be secured by notes of the purchasers with deeds of trust on the property purchased. The sale will take place at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, on

TUESDAY, APRIL 12, 1881,

between the hours of ten o'clock a. m. and four o'clock p. m. of said day, and the property to be sold is particularly described as follows, to-wit: Situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and in block number thirteen hundred and eighty-three (1383) of said city, to-wit: Lots numbered nineteen (19), twenty (20), twenty-one (21), twenty-two (22) and twenty-three (23) of said block, said lots having an aggregate front of one hundred and fifteen feet four inches, more or less, on Adele street, and an aggregate width on the rear or alley end of one hundred and thirty-eight feet seven inches more or less.

For further particulars, apply to the office of S. V. PAPIN & BRO., Real Estate Agents, 210 North Sixth street, St. Louis, Mo.

SAMUEL SEMPLE,
Special Commissioner.

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ABSOLUTE SALE.

MASONIC HALL BLOCK

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of a decree and special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the City of St. Louis, returnable to the April term, 1881, of said Court, and to me directed, wherein James Baker, Joel Wood, William H. Lee and Mira Benoist are plaintiffs, and the Masonic Hall Association, James H. Britton and Calvin F. Burnes are defendants,

I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the City of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and described in said decree and special execution as follows, to wit:

Beginning at the southeast corner of St. Louis city block number one hundred and eighty-four (184) in said city of St. Louis, running thence westwardly with the north line of Market street one hundred and thirty-five (135) feet to a point, thence northwardly and parallel with Seventh street one hundred and nine (109) feet to an alley, thence eastwardly with the south line of said alley one hundred and thirty-five feet to the west line of Seventh street, thence southwardly with the west line of Seventh street one hundred and nine (109) feet to the point of beginning; bounded north by an alley, east by Seventh street, south by Market street and west by ground now or formerly of James H. Lucas.

And I will, on

Thursday, the 7th Day of April, 1881

between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the City of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, to satisfy said execution, damage, interest and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff of the City of St. Louis.

St. Louis, Mo., March 4, 1881. 61H

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is the intention of the Union Savings Association, located in the City of St. Louis, State of Missousi, to reduce its capital stock to one hundred thousand dollars, such reduction to take effect on the second day of May, 1881, and that such reduction is made in conformity with the provisions of article 7, chapter 22, vol. 1, of the Revised Statutes of Missouri, and in pursuance of a resolution of the Board of Directors of said association, adopted on the 18th day of March, 1881; and that the owners of more than two-thirds of the capital stock of said association have consented in writing to said reduction.

Dated March 19th, 1881.

PETER NICHOLSON,
President.

EMILE KARST, Cashier.

LEGAL.

Administrators' Notices.

(No. 13,898.)

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE OF LETTERS.—In re estate of Hugo Krebs, deceased.—Notice is hereby given that I have taken charge of the estate of

Hugo Krebs,

deceased, and that I did so on the 7th day of March, 1881, for the purpose of administering on the same, and that I did so under an order of the Probate Court.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit the same to the undersigned for allowance within one year after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication, they will be forever barred.

MARTROM D. LEWIS,
Public Administrator for the City of St. Louis.
Office, N. W. Cor. Sixth and Locust streets, Insurance Building.

St. Louis, Mo., April 1, 1881. 37N

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.—Notice is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of

William Muench,

deceased, that I the undersigned executrix of said estate intend to make a final settlement thereof at the next term of the Probate Court of the city of St. Louis, to be holden at the Court House in the city of St. Louis on the first Monday of June next.

CHRISTIANA MUENCH,
Executrix.

St. Louis, April 2, 1881. 45N

LEGAL.

Sheriff's Sales.

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court at the city of St. Louis, returnable to the April Term, 1881, of said court, and to me directed, wherein the State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of Myer A. Rosenblatt, Collector of the city of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, is plaintiff, and Richard Daily, John G. Grosser, Henry Overstolz, Jr., trustee, are defendants,

I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the lien of tax bill on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

Number 2—Two lots of ground on California avenue each being 25 feet in front or width and 120 feet in length or depth, and being lots 6 and 7 respectively in block 6 in Page's Second Western addition to said city.

And I will, on

TUESDAY, THE 12TH DAY OF APRIL, 1881,

between the hours of 9 o'clock in the forenoon and 5 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell, at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff, City St. Louis, Mo.

St. Louis, Mo., March 19, 1881. 25K

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court at the City of St. Louis, returnable to the April term, 1881, of said court, and to me directed, wherein the State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of Myer A. Rosenblatt, collector of the city of St. Louis in the State of Missouri, is plaintiff, and Andrew S. McBride, Martha L. McBride, Frederick W. Mott, trustee, are defendants,

I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the lien of tax bill on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

A lot of ground on Fifth street, in city block 2982, 50 feet in front or width and 155 feet 9 inches in length or depth, being in block 2 in survey 2, and bounded on the north by the real estate of one Mott, on the east by that of one Blow and others, on the south by that of one Blow, on the west by Fifth street.

And I will, on

FRIDAY, THE 22D DAY OF APRIL, 1881,

between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff City St. Louis, Mo.

St. Louis, Mo., March 22, 1881. 92L

SHERIFF'S SALE—By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court at the city of St. Louis, returnable to the April term, 1881, of said Court, and to me directed, wherein the State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of Myer A. Rosenblatt, Collector of the city of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, is plaintiff, and Robert A. Barnes and James Bissell, trustees of Virginia Bissell, Virginia Bissell and Geo. R. Bissell, are defendants,

I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the lien of tax bill on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

A lot of ground on Grand avenue, containing one and 5-100 acres, being survey 658, and bounded on the north by the real estate of said defendants, on the south by city block 2446, on the east by the real estate of one Allen, on the west by city block 2446.

And I will on

SATURDAY, THE 9TH DAY OF APRIL, 1881

between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff City of St. Louis, Mo.

St. Louis, Mo., March 16, 1881. 96I

SHERIFF'S SALE—In partition—Henry Rhoser, trustee, and Charm Manufacturing Co., a corporation, vs. Jno. Wm. Brockhage. By virtue and authority of a decree and order of sale issued from the Clerk's office of the Circuit Court of the City of St. Louis, in the above entitled cause, dated March the 28th, 1881, I will on

THURSDAY, THE 28TH DAY OF APRIL, 1881,

between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court House, in the City of St. Louis and State of Mo., sell at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the following described real estate, situated in the City of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and described in said order and decree as follows, to-wit:

Lot number 40, in block number 2, of Daniel D. Page's third Western Addition to the City of St. Louis a plat of which is recorded in the Recorder's office in said city, fronting 55 feet on the north line of Evans avenue by 121 feet deep on the east line of Prairie avenue, being the same property acquired by John Brockhage from Oliver B. Filley and wife, September 20th, 1869.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff of the City of St. Louis, Mo.

St. Louis, Mo., April 2, 1881. 35N

SPECIAL COMMISSIONER'S SALE.—By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of the City of St. Louis, made on the 28th day of February, 1881, and during the February Term of said court, in the case of Sophia A. Tatum et al vs. Samuel N. Holliday, adm'r., of the estate of John S. McCune et al., the undersigned, special commissioner, will on

MONDAY, THE 25TH DAY OF APRIL, 1881,

between the hours of ten o'clock in the forenoon and six o'clock in the afternoon of that day, sell the following described real estate, on the southeast corner of Jefferson and Clark avenues, in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, to-wit:

A certain piece or parcel of land in city block 1716, bounded north by Clark avenue, east by an alley, south by an alley and west by Jefferson avenue, having a front of 479 feet 10 inches on Jefferson avenue and 418 feet on Clark avenue, containing five acres.

The sale will be made on the premises, and will begin at 10 o'clock precisely. The property has been subdivided into lots; streets and alleys have been dedicated; the Board of Public Improvements has approved the subdivision: it is known and designated as "Tatum subdivision of city block No. 1716;" and a plat has been filed in the Recorder's office of the city of St. Louis. Plats may be obtained at the office of P. S. Lanham, 515 Pine street. There are 52 lots, and every lot will be sold. The sale is absolute—NOT SUBJECT TO THE APPROVAL OF THE COURT; the property is sold free from the taxes of 1881. The Commissioner will pay them. The old house will be sold with lot No. 4. Terms of sale: One-third cash, balance in one and two years, with 6 per cent interest, secured on the property. Purchasers can pay all cash if they prefer.

SAMUEL N. HOLLIDAY,
Special Commissioner.

20N

Administrators' Notices.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.—Notice is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of

James R. Wasson,

deceased, that I, the undersigned executor of said estate, intend to make a final settlement thereof at the next term of the Probate Court in the City of St. Louis, to be holden at the Court-house in said city on the first Monday of June next.

M. S. WASSON,
Executor of James R. Wasson, deceased.

St. Louis, April 1, 1881. 26N

ESTATE of Elizabeth Duestrow, deceased.—Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of

Elizabeth Duestrow,

deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Probate Court of the city of St. Louis on the 31st day of March, 1881.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit the same for allowance to the undersigned within one year after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication, they shall be forever barred.

Dated this 2d day of April, 1881.

LOUIS DUESTROW,
Administrator.

25N

(No. 13,896.)

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE OF LETTERS—In re estate of Louis C. Koos, deceased. —Notice is hereby given that I have taken charge of the estate of

Louis C. Koos,

deceased, and that I did so on the 7th day of March, 1881, for the purpose of administering on the same.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit the same to the undersigned for allowance within one year after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication, they will be forever barred.

MARTROM D. LEWIS,
Public Administrator for the City of St. Louis.
Office, Northwest Corner Sixth and Locust Streets, Insurance Building.

St. Louis, Mo., April 1, 1881. 42N

(No. 13,915.)

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE OF LETTERS—In re estate of E. G. Knowles, deceased. —Notice is hereby given that I have taken charge of the estate of

E. G. Knowles,

deceased, and that I did so on the 28th day of March, 1881, for the purpose of administering on the same.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit the same to the undersigned for allowance within one year after date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication, they will be forever barred.

MARTROM D. LEWIS,
Public Administrator for the City of St. Louis.
Office, Northwest Corner Sixth and Locust Streets, Insurance Building.

St. Louis, Mo., March 1, 1881. 41N

(No. 13,919.)

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE OF LETTERS—In re estate of Ann Humphrey, deceased.—Notice is hereby given that I have taken charge of the estate of

Ann Humphrey,

deceased, and that I did so on the 29th day of March, 1881, for the purpose of administering on the same.

All persons having claims against said estate, are required to exhibit the same to the undersigned for allowance within one year after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication, they will be forever barred.

MARTROM D. LEWIS,
Public Administrator for the City of St. Louis.
Office, Northwest Corner Sixth and Locust Streets, Insurance Building.

St. Louis, Mo., April 1, 1881. 40N

LEGAL.

Administrators' Notices.

(No. 13,902.)

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE OF LETTERS.—In re estate of Catharine Schroeder, deceased.—Notice is hereby given that I have taken charge of the estate of

Catharine Schroeder,

deceased, and that I did so on the 11th day of March, 1881, for the purpose of administering on the same.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit the same to the undersigned for allowance within one year after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication, they will be forever barred.

MARTROM D. LEWIS,
Public Administrator for the City of St. Louis.
Office, northwest corner Sixth and Locust streets, Insurance Building.

St. Louis, Mo., April 1, 1881. 38N

(No. 13,892.)

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE OF LETTERS.—In re estate of Ellcaion M. Turner, deceased. Notice is hereby given that I have taken charge of the estate of

Ellcaion M. Turner,

deceased, and that I did so on the 7th day of March, 1881, for the purpose of administering on the same, and that I did so under an order of the Probate Court.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit the same to the undersigned for allowance within one year after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication, they will be forever barred.

MARTROM D. LEWIS,
Public Administrator for the City of St. Louis.
Office, Nortewest Corner Sixth and Locust Streets, Insurance Building.

St. Louis, Mo., April 1, 1881. 36N

(No. 13,905.)

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE OF LETTERS—In re estate of Jacob Thomas, deceased. —Notice is herby given that I have taken charge of the estate of

Jacob Thomas,

deceased, and that I did so on the 14th day of March, 1881, for the purpose of administering on the same, with the will annexed, and that I did so under an order of the Probate Court.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit the same to the undersigned for allowance within one year after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication, they will be forever barred.

MARTROM D. LEWIS,
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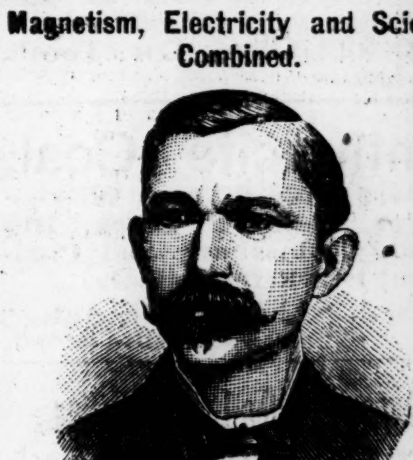
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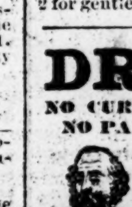
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LOCAL NEWS.

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GRAND OPENING and reception of the Brenner Collection, Saturday afternoon, April 2, at Harrison's New Art Gallery, 608 Olive street. Sale—Wednesday and Thursday, April 6 and 7, at 8 p. m.

A New Church.

This morning the trustees of St. Mark's Lutheran Church closed contracts for the erection of a stone church on the southeast corner of Bell and Cardinal avenues, West St. Louis. The new temple of prayer is to be of fine granite stone, two stories high, with five rooms, and will cost $30,000. It will have a frontage of 75 feet and will be 109 feet deep.

DR. E. C. CHASE, 922 Olive street, set of best teeth only $8.

A CARD.

I take pleasure in announcing that my selections for the SPRING AND SUMMER have arrived, and are now open and ready for inspection. I have secured the services of MR. A. FREY, a cutter of excellent reputation, both in this country and in Europe, to assist me, and trust I shall give even better satisfaction than heretofore.

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This morning the Union Depot Warehouse Ttorage Company closed contracts for the erection of a $30,000 warehouse on the northwest corner of Sixteenth and Poplar streets. The building will be three stories high with three rooms.

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The most extensive assortment ever shown in St. Louis, and at astonishing low prices, at Simmons Hardware Company.

CARONDELET JOTTINGS.

Many of the leading citizens of this part of the city have taken great interest in extending aid to Mrs. Pomeroy, a most worthy and excellent lady. This evening at 8 o'clock the raffle of various articles for her benefit will take place at Turner Hall. Persons can still procure tickets at the hall. There will be no charge for admission to the hall.

The Overstolz officials of the Police Court have for the past two days labored zealously with Henry Moriarty. Thursday he before the Court charged with being drunk, but was excused as the election was so near at hand. Friday he was back again; same charge. He was solemnly reprimanded, but to incarcerate a registered Overstolz voter would not do and once more he was excused. To the dismay of his friends who had labored so zealously to hide a multitude of sins in the way of drunks, he was back this morning for the third time, and now he reposes at the Work-house, where he will remain until the polls open on Tuesday next.

NOT a pimple, not a freckle remains upon the skin, healthfully beautified by Glenn's Sulphur Soap.

SPORADIC KENO.

A House on the Levee Where the Elephant is Still on View.

It will probably be something of a surprise to the police to learn that there is a keno-room open nightly at 302 North Levee. When Pate closed his doors it was supposed that the death blow had been given to keno in St. Louis. It was at once apparent that if, with all his capital and experience, he acknowledged himself "froze out," there was very little chance for any of the minnows in the swim. Of course the establishment upon the Levee is only a sporadic one, opened with few conveniences and ready to close at a moment's notice. The proprietors probably hoped that by an obscure location and a closely hidden and well sentineled house they would be able to escape the eye of the press and the police. They have failed, however, as the following article will show:

The house is a mean looking, tumbled-down affair, close to the Bethel place. It is garnished in front with no sign or names, probably on the principle that keno in a town like St. Louis is better without a bush. The only thing which distinguishes it from the other houses in the row is its more than usually squalid and mildewed appearance, it appears to be suffering from a dry rot, and in order to get light through the dirty windows it has been necessary for the occupants to knock out several panes of glass. Upon entering the aspect of poverty is well kept up. A long pine board on trestles serves for a bar, behind which upon a dresser are a number of glasses and liquids; the whisky sold is of the old and well-known Brimstone brand. Behind this impromptu bar is a doorway leading to the rear where in different rooms keno, monte and faro are run. The proprietor of the establishment calls himself Henry Walker, but the name goes for what it is worth. Of course the establishment is altogether too well sentineled to permit reportorial access, but the next best thing was a couple of interviews with parties who were inside and were permitted to view the elephant in his native jungle. Charlie Gilsinn is a young man who has been a waiter upon several of the Anchor Line boats. He was pointed out to the reporter as one of the victims and made the following statement: "I don't know the name of the fellow who runs the shop, I don't think it was Walker, but at any rate I was roped in there last Tuesday night and run up against a game of faro. There was keno going on at the game time. I lost all I had, $40, but I ain't squealing about it, and don't you forget it. I made a d—n fool of myself and lost my money, and kicking won't get it back again."

Henry Pierce, a steamboat hand who was present, corroborated Gilsinn's statement as to the keno, and said he had played in the house last night. It was a ten-cent game and hardly anybody but 'roosters' were present. The game is to run to-night again.

MR. JAMES A. CONLAN, Librarian of the Union Catholic Library, Chicago, Ill., is the latest man who has been made happy through the use of this valuable liniment. The following is Mr. Conlan's indorsement:

UNION CATHOLIC LIBRARY ASSOCIATION, 204 DEARBORN STREET, CHICAGO, September 16, 1880.

I wish to add my testimony as to the merits of St. Jacobs Oil as a cure for rheumatism. One bottle has cured me of this troublesome disease, which gave me a great deal of bother for a long time; but thanks to the remedy, I am cured. This statement is unsolicited by any one in its interest.

JAMES A. CONLAN, Librarian.

CARRYING CONCEALED WEAPONS.

The Story a Young Woman Related in the Police Court.

About 1 o'clock this morning a man accompanied by a young woman accosted Officers Scully and James Ryan and asked him to arrest the woman who had a revolver with her. When she heard this she started off but was arrested by the officers who found the revolver. To-day she was arrigned in the First District Police Court and had her case continued. She told the following story: My name is Minnie Ruhland and the man who had me arrested is my husband. He ruined me under promise of marriage house and a few nights ago he called at the where I am a servant and we went down town to a justice's office several blocks below the Court-house we. Were married and we went to a boarding house. He got drunk and slapped me, and the proprietor said that if he did not behave himself he would have to leave. I went to my place next morning, and yesterday he sent me word to meet him down town and to bring his revolver with me. He threatened to shoot me some time ago and ever since I had his revolver in my trunk. When I met him he did not ask me for it, and when he met the officers he had me arrested. The young woman and the man the officers say tell a far different story.

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NIMROD NOTES.

The St. Louis Sporting Club will shoot this season at the Grand avenue ball park.

Parties who returned from Dardenne, this morning, report that the lake was frozen yesterday.

The St. Louis Gun Club have a glass ball shoot this afternoon at the Compton avenue ball park.

The Brevedor Club is a very close corporation of seven members. Jos. Lucas, Dabney Carr and a few of their friends constitute the whole organization.

Messrs. Wilson Hunt, Charles Powell and F. Zeibig returned Thursday from a few days hunt at Kings Lake. They brought seventy-five ducks with them, but no snipe.

The weather has been too cold the past week for ducks to appear in any considerable numbers. The few snipe that have been brought in were captured with their bills frozen in the ground.

The St. Louis Kennel Club has now on the way from England a couple of fine pointer pups, which will be broken for this year's field trials. The Kennel Club lost all their last spring pups during the winter and hence the necessity of the importation.

On the 23d instant the Missouri State Sportsmen's Association has its annual meeting in St. Louis. Following the meeting there will be a grand shooting tournament with valuable prizes. Mr. Will Nave is chairman of a committee to solicit special prizes from citizens.

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MILITARY MELANGE.

Battery A, St. Louis National Guards, will hold a meeting at the Armory to-night.

Company K think somewhat of going down to Nashville to compete at the approaching military tournament there.

A requisition has been forwarded to the Governor for a couple of ten-barrel Gatling guns for the use of the St. Louis Light Artillery.

The commissions of the new staff officers, of the First Regiment of St. Louis National Guards arrived Thursday from Jefferson City.

The office of Col. Chapman, of the National Guards has been refitted this week, and looks very handsome. It was done by small private subscriptions.

Company E, Police Reserves, will give a dress drill next Thursday night at the Four Courts. The new Board of Police Commissioners have been invited to be present.

Colonel Chapman, of the National Guards, will shortly erect himself a house on Channing avenue and Locust street, notwithstanding the fact that he is a bachelor.

It has leaked out that Captain W. G. Smyth, of Colonel Chapman's staff, was in his youth christened "Willie" and not William, and consequently he is now only known and addressed as "Captain Willie."

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THE SLOP CONTRACT'S SEQUEL.

Mr. Morrissey in Search of His Thousand Dollars Forfeit.

"What do you suppose that fellow has done now?" asked Mr. Morrissey, who will be remembered as the lowest bidder on the slop contract the last time that that solemn farce was enacted in public.

"What fellow?" asked the reporter.

"Why Charley Francis. He won't give me back my thousand dollars."

"The forfeit money?"

"Yes; you know each bidder had to put a thousand dollars up as a forfeit with his bid on the slop contract. This money was put in Mr. Francis' hands and now all of these bids are null and void, and we ought to have our money back. They have had it now since the 11th of October, and the Lord only knows how much longer they will have it. It is my belief that they have spent the money—"

"Hold up, Mr. Morrissey; that is a serious charge to make."

"Well, I only know this; he promised to give it back to me Tuesday and he put me off then, and I went and saw him to-day and he absolutely refused to give it to me. There is no reason why they should hold the money, all of those bids are null and void. There is nothing to forfeit, and I ought to have had my money back just as soon as the Mayor signed the new ordinance. Mr. Lightner told me I had better go up and see about the money, as I might have trouble about it—he had known such things to happen before. You see I have been out of the use of that $1,000 since October 11 through their jugglery, and I don't propose to be fooled with any longer."

"Are you going to bid under the new ordinance?"

"I am if Ewing is elected. If not there will be no use in anybody's bidding; they'll fix it again."

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THE HURSTS.

Judge Lindley Severs the Knot in a Notable Case.

Judge Lindley this morning heard the divorce case of Susan C. Hurst against James H. Hurst. This was a suit entered on the default docket, the husband not appearing, and the knot was severed accordingly in a very brief space of time, sufficient only to hear the evidence of the wife and the witnesses in support of her prayer.

The defendant is well known in the community as the proprietor of Hurst's European Hotel on Fourth street. The marriage took place in October, 1866, and the couple lived together until about a year since. Mrs. Hurst, whose maiden name was Gordon, testified that she at all times treated her husband with kindness and affection and faithfully performed her duties as a wife, but that Mr. Hurst wholly disregarded his duties, and upon divers occasions between May, 1879, and April, 1880, indulged in illicit relations with a young woman who goes by the name of Ella, but whose full name was never disclosed. In consequence of her husband's infidelity and after repeated acts of unkindness and nameless indignities, Mrs. Hurst left her home and went to live separate and apart from her husband. There were four children born of the union of whom only one survived, a little boy of fourteen months, who was present in Court in the care of Mrs. Hurst and her sister. The lady's sensitive temperament during a trying ordeal was seriously exhibited, a fact not escaping the consideration of the Court, all the evidence being given in a whisper. Mr. J. H. O'Neil represented Mrs. Hurst, and Mr. Chas. P. Johnson represented the husband in relation to the order for alimony. It was in evidence that the parties could not live together on account of incompatibility of temper, and apart from any other grounds the decree would probably have been rendered. Testimony was introduced to show that the defendant possessed real estate and a personal estate, and the Court granted Mrs. Hurst a decree, together with restoration of maiden name, custody of child and alimony in gross in the sum of $4,000.

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PERMANENT IMPROVEMENTS.

Over $200,000 Invested in the Erection of New Buildings.

For the week ending at noon to-day the City Fire Department issued permits for the erection of 48 new buildings, 37 of which are to be of brick and 11 frames; the cost of which will be $200,965 when completed, or $198,230 for the brick buildings, and $2,735 for the frame buildings. Of the brick buildings there will be 20 of 2 stories; $1 of 2½ stories; 8 of 3 stories; 5 of 1 story; and 2 of 5 stories. Of these 22 will be dwellings; 3 for kitchens; 2 for stores and dwellings; 1 for a wagon shop; 1 for offices; 1 for a livery stable, 1 for a horse-collar factory, 1 for a church and 2 warehouses, in which there will be a total of 167 rooms. The largest building to be erected on permits issued during the week is to be the new St. Louis Cotton Exchange, to be 5 stories with 4 rooms and to cost $60,000. There were also several other large permits; among them, one for a church to cost $30,000, one for a warehouse to cost $30,000, and one for a residence to cost over $15,000. Of the frame buildings 9 will be of 1 story, 1 of 2 stories and 1 of 1½ stories, all of which will contain a total of 21 rooms; 4 of them will be for dwellings, 4 for kitchens, 1 for a stable and 1 for a glass house. The largest frame building is to cost $600, and will be used as a glass house on Second and Angelica streets by the Mississippi Glass Company of North St. Louis.

The records of the Fire Department show that the new buildings to be erected from January 1 up to date will cost a total of $1,180,365.

China, Glass and Queensware Store.

Mr. E. F. W. Meier, importer and jobber of queensware, etc., No. 515 and 517 Washington avenue, says that the china, glass and queensware trade promises to be unusually active during the present season, and that prospects for success were never so good. Mr. Meier has his large double front six-story house on Washington avenue filled with a large variety of stock, is ready to meet all the demands in each and every branch of the trade, and he guarantees that his prices are as low as any other house in the United States.

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New Buildings.

Mrs. M. Stussell is to have a two-story four-room dwelling, to cost $550, on Fifteenth street, between Exchange and Madison.

Mr. G. Rothchild is to have a three-story nine-room dwelling, to cost $6,500, on Kennett place, between Carondelet and Mississippi avenues.

Mr. E. Bach is to have a three-story, nine-room dwelling, to cost $6,500, on Kennett Place, between Carondelet and Mississippi avenues.

Mr. B. W. Zimmerman is to erect a two-story seven-room dwelling, to cost $3,500, on the northeast corner of Glasgow avenue and Dayton street.

Mr. E. Mallinckrodt is to have a two-story twelve-room stone front dwelling, to cost $15,000, on Vandeventer Place, between Grand avenue and Vandeventer street.

Dan Catlin has contracted for a tobacco warehouse to cost $15,000, on Chestnut, between Twelfth and Thirteenth streets. The building will be five stories with five rooms.

EAST ST. LOUIS.

The barns of John Abry of the Fourth Ward was visited last night by thieves, and a light wagon and a set of harness stolen. Christ Buesse's stable in the Second Ward was also visited and his horse stolen. No account of the thieves has been gained thus far. A reward of $50 is offered for recovery of property and apprehension of the thief.

The laborers who have been working on the streets for the past six weeks assembled in front of the Mayor's office last evening to demand a payment of the wages due them for that time. At least 250 men were in the crowd, and some of them were very excited. A committee was appointed to wait upon the Mayor, and that official said that he would lay the matter before the Council. The whole crowd followed the Mayor to the Council chamber, but that body did not meet last night for the reason that no quorum was present and the men received no answer to their demands.

THE Pompier corps turned out just before noon to extinguish a bedroom fire in Lou Turner's house on Seventh street, near Walnut. Paper stuffed in a second story flue became ignited from the fire below and dropped down on the bed clothing. The flames were quenched with the small Babcocks.

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Newsy Budget in Which the Masonic and Other Secret Orders Will Be Interested.

The Week's Report.

Now that the weather is becoming finer a large increase in the attendance at the lodges can be noticed. The week ending today has been very active in secret societies, and all degrees known to the orders have been worked in, and an unusual large number of applicants have been initiated.

Among our budget of news to-day we present a brief historical, financial and statistical statement of the Odd-Fellows. It is the intention of the POST-DISPATCH to make this an interesting feature of the secret order news, and articles of the different societies will appear as rapidly as they can be compiled.

The Masons' Compass.

The Kansas City, Mo., lodges are going to have a Grand Masonic Temple.

The fraternity are proposing to build a temple to cost $75,000 at Decatur, Ill.

Aurora Lodge, No. 267, held a State Convocation last night, and a pleasant time was enjoyed.

James A. Garfield is the first Knight Templar ever elected to the Presidency of the United States.

A meeting was held last night by the Board of Relief. Nothing outside of its regular business transpired.

The erection of a new Masonic Hall in the vicinity of Fourth and Pine streets is talked of by the Masons of Carondelet.

St. Louis Royal Arch Chapter, No. 8, had a large attendance last night and worked in the beautiful degree of the Royal Arch Mason.

The Louisville, Ky., Sunday Argus, says that Temple Commandery No. 2, Knights Templar, was instituted in 1797, in Albany, N. Y.

The Sir Knights of Hospitaler Commandery will attend church at Jacksonville, Ill., on Easter to hear a sermon by Dr. Sutherland.

A stated communication was held last Sunday evening by the members of Occidental Lodge, No. 163. No business of a public kind transacted.

The Grand Secretary of State, Rev. John D. Vincil, has just returned from a trip to Chicago, where he went to attend the funeral of a relative.

The Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of French Jurisdiction, James C. Menon, contemplates a visit to the lodges of America in May or June.

A Swedish lodge, the first one west of the State of New York and the fifth one in the country, is now in process of formation at West Port, Nevada.

The organization of a commandery of Knights Templar at Belleville, Ill., is now being considered by a number of influential members of the craft.

The Grand Secretary of the Grand Lodge of Missouri, Rev. John D. Vincil, was recently called to Chicago to attend the funeral of a deceased relative, and has returned.

The members and officers of Keystone Lodge, No. 243, will celebrate the twentieth anniversary of their lodge at Masonic Temple, corner of Seventh and Market streets, next Wednesday evening, with a grand musical and literary entertainment.

The Three Links.

Cairo, Ills., has a new division of the uniform encampment in process of formation.

The Odd Fellows' lodges of Iowa increased their membership over 8,000 during last year.

Brooklyn, Ills., has the first lodge of colored Odd Fellows ever organized in that State.

C. C. Kenney, N. G., of Evergreen Lodge No. 28, of Plattsville, Pa., was in the city during the week.

The largest sum paid for relief by any lodge in Illinois during the past year was paid by Peoria Lodge No. 4, the amount reaching $5,000.

The recent consolidation of Germania and Pestalozzi Lodges, of Alton, Ill., makes the latter lodge one of the best German lodges in the State.

P. G. A. Wolford, of Alton, Ill., is the oldest living Odd Fellow in the State. He was initiated into the order forty-five years ago on January 19, 1836.

The funeral ceremonies of George Reynolds, of Travelers' Rest Lodge No. 1, were attended last Sunday afternoon by the officers and members of the Lodge.

The next anniversary of American Odd Fellowship will be held at Rochell, Ills., on Tuesday, April 26, under the auspices of the Northwestern Illinois Anniversary Association.

A special dispensation has been issued by the Manchester Unity of England for the organization of a colored lodge in California. This is the first dispensation ever granted by the English Unity for a lodge in America.

ODD FELLOWS' ELECTIONS.

During the week the following local lodges held elections for new officials, who are to serve during the ensuing six months. The installation ceremonies began last night, and will continue until Friday evening of the present week: Harmonie Lodge, No. 353; Star of the West Lodge, No. 138; Home Lodge, No. 158; Anchor Lodge, No. 322; Travelers' Rest Lodge, No. 1; Cosmos Lodge, No. 76; De Soto Lodge, No. 90; Missouri Lodge, No. 1; Mound City, 276, and Excelsior Lodge, No. 18.

HISTORICAL MENTION—ODD FELLOWSHIP.

The following will be found a brief financial statistical statement of Odd Fellowship in America from 1830 to 1879, a period of fifty years. The items herein contained have been compiled at no little trouble by the senior editor of the POST-DISPATCH, and will prove of unusual interest to the members from the fact that the report is for the first time through the press presented by the POST-DISPATCH, and more particularly as it will serve as interesting reference in future.

The total of money expended for relief during the time mentioned above was $29,202,835, which, if the volume of extraordinary contributions be added, the grand aggregate will reach much short of $60,000,000 laid upon altars dedicated to benevolence and charity by the Independent Order of Odd Fellows during the sixty-one years of its existence in America. The number of widowed families relieved was 120,645; individual members who were granted relief foot up to 902,-000. The total number of members initiated during the thirty-nine years was 1,200,000, and of the same time 86,351 members were lost by death.

The total receipts of the order from '39 to '79 amounted to $77,984,169, and during the same period there was 7,267 subordinate lodges in existence. The first hall in the world for the exclusive use of Odd Fellowship was dedicated in the City of Baltimore in the year 1810, with all the pomp and ceremony that it was possible to provise for such a momentous occasion. The total membership of the order is over 500,000. The total revenue for the year was $4,391,215.

Pythian Knights.

The organization of a drill corps of Knights Pythias in this city is being talked of.

Several applications are pending before Pythian Lodge No. 56, of South St. Louis.

J. B. McLaughlin, of Damon Lodge, is an able correspondent of the Pythian Journal.

Grand Chancellor Frank Wiley will be in the city on official business the latter part of the month.

The Kansas City, Mo., Pythian Dramatic Club are playing the drama of "Damon and Pythias" in many towns in the State.

Eureka Lodge, of East St. Louis, Ill., met last Monday evening and conferred the various degrees. A large number of visitors were present.

Past Grand Chancellor of State, W. H. Rudolph, Republican candidate for Inspector of Weights and Measures, is a member of Damon Lodge No. 28.

Last Tuesday night Golden Crown Lodge, No. 62, held a lively session. This lodge is making rapid progress, and will initiate about twenty candidates very soon.

The dispensation fixing the initiation fee at $10, under which Golden Crown Lodge, of this city, is now working, expires this month, after which the initiatory fee will be increased to $15.

The Southern Knights of New Orleans announces that a challenge will probably be made by Royal Arch Lodge to any lodge in the country for work in the three ranks of the order.

Crescent Lodge, No. 2; met last Tuesday evening; the attendance was large and two candidates were initiated into the second degree. Two other applications are also before the lodge.

Hon. Frank Wiley, Grand Chancellor of Missouri of D. of P., was in the city on Monday last on official business, and paid a fraternal visit to Red Cross Lodge No. 54 during the evening.

Extensive arrangements are being made by Royal Arch Lodge, of De Soto, Mo., for a grand ball and social entertainment next month. Several members of the order from this city will attend.

One of the most interesting sessions of the season was held last Monday night by Red Cross Lodge, No. 54. The beautiful ceremonies of the amplified rank were conferred on four candidates. The attendance of visitors from the local lodges was unusually large.

United Workmen.

The prospect is good for the formation of a new lodge at East St. Louis, Ill., next month.

Noah M. Given, Past Grand Master of the Masons of Missouri, is a members of this order.

Hon. Henry L. Rogers, State Senator and Grand Master of the order, has returned to the city.

The institution of a new lodge of A. O. U. W., with twenty-six charter members, will take place to-morrow at Rochester, Ill.

On Tuesday evening Unity Lodge No. 138, of Venice, Ill., will celebrate its anniversary with a grand musical and literary entertainment.

Lindell Lodge, No. 22, has four applications for membership now pending. A number of the most prominent citizens of North St. Louis are members of this lodge.

The Overseer, of St. Louis, the official organ of the A. O. U. W., comes to us every month looking as bright as a new silver dollar. It is brimful of the choicest news of the order from all parts of the country, and its "Lodge Locals" relative to the workings of the city are of more than usual interest. When the POST-DISPATCH recognizes the Overseer as the leading organ it does not say too much.

Knights of Honor.

Mr. Russell H. Robbins, of Jupiter Lodge, and proprietor of K. of H. Magazine, will visit the various lodges of the State next month.

Ludwig, No. 456, is one of the leading lodges in the State and has a membership of 225 and several more applications under consideration.

Olive Branch, No. 812, will entertain the Brother Knights of Bremen and Anchor Lodges and their ladies at Union Hall on Monday evening.

E. W. Fowler, Grand Guide of Missouri, is endeavoring to complete the organization of two more new lodges in the State before the next meeting of the Grand Lodge.

Bellefontaine Lodge of North St. Louis has several applications for membership under consideration at present. The membership of this lodge is increasing very rapidly.

Mount Olive Lodge No. 448, gave a grand complimentary entertainment on Wednesday evening at their hall, Tenth and Franklin avenue. A large number of pleasure seekers were present.

On Wednesday evening last St. Louis Lodge No. 13, which was recently suspended, was reinstated. This lodge has some 275 members, and commands $500,000 in insurance or benefit certificates in the order.

The founding of a library is talked of by the Knights of Honor in this city; this is a move in the right direction, and would be of vast interest to the order and should receive the support of every member.

Since the institution of Unity Lodge, No. 251, September 2, 1876, two deaths have occurred, the deceased members having paid in a total of $21, and their heirs receiving $4,-000. At the close of the last term the membership of the lodge was 53.

Bremen Lodge, No. 254, was instituted on the 24th of March, 1876, and had a total membership of 180 at the close of the last term; two deaths have occurred, one member having paid in $6, the other $31; total, $37. The beneficiaries received $4,000.

Independent Foresters.

A new court has just been instituted in Tennessee.

Applications for membership to the number of 100 were received by the local courts during the past week.

The installation of the officers elect of Court Future City, No. 24, will take place with usual ceremonies of the order next Tuesday evening.

There will probably be a move made here before long by some of the active Foresters to organize a library. Every society needs one, and the benefits derived from it will amply repay for the trouble and expense incurred.

Col. Edwin S. Pike, P. S. C. R., was the first State Chief Ranger of Misssouri, and during his administration instituted fourteen courts. He was initiated into the order of Forestry May 31, 1876. He is also a member of thirteen other orders.

A decision of especial interest has just been rendered, declaring that if more than six months have elapsed since the suspension of a member, his membership is forfeited, and in order to regain it must make application as a new candidate; and if more than fifty years of age at the date of his application, he will not be eligible.

National Americans.

Some delay has occurred in the organization of the new association in the southern part of the city, and the institution has been postponed for a short time.

Fulton Association, No. 14, has work in the initiatory degree at every session. Its membership is composed of the most prominent citizens of North St. Louis, and it is one of the best managed lodges in the city.

Legion of Honor.

The membership of the order is increasing at the rate of 100 each week.

Kirkwood Council, of Kirkwood, Mo., will work in the initiatory degree at its next meeting.

Several of the subordinate lodges were visited the past week by the Supreme Secretary, L. C. Haynes.

A special called session of the Supreme Council will be held one week from next Tuesday, at Tuscan Hall, in this city.

Contribution No. 9 is now in the hands of the Supreme Treasurer, the money having been paid by members with their characteristic promptness.

The members of the Supreme Council will visit Grove Council, at Webster Grove, on Monday evening, leaving Union Depot at 6:20 p. m., and will return at 11 p. m.

St. Louis Council, No. 6, passed a resolution at its last meeting, making the dues for the first quarter after initiation $5, which is almost equivalent to fixing the initiation fee at $10.

At the regular weekly session of the Executive Board, held last Tuesday evening, a dispensation was granted for the organization of a new council on Garrison and Easton avenues. The council will probably be instituted next Tuesday night, and will include in its membership some of the most worthy and influential citizens.

Another "Mott Bill."

The secret societies in the State of New York are in arms against a bill introduced into the Assembly of that State, which is identical in every feature to the "Mott bill" which was introduced into the Missouri Legislature, and which, by the efforts of the members of secret fraternities in St. Louis, met its death. The New York Herald takes sides with the mystic orders on the subject, and is using all of its power to defeat the pending bill, which so deeply interests 300,000 members of secret fraternities in the Empire State.

Colored Knights Templar.

Past Deputy Grand Commander Thos. Layton installed the following officers for Mt. Olive Commandery, No. 1, Colored Knights Templar, at their Asylum, corner Eleventh and Franklin avende, Tuesday evening, March 29, 1881: Chas. H. Sims, Em. Commander; Jas. A. Johnson, Generalissimo; John Savington, Captain General; John Davis, Prelate; W. A. Ashley, Senior Warden; Anthony Dickens, Junior Warden; Moses Green, Treasurer; John T. Hopson, Recorder; John Sheppard, Warder.

To Lodge Secretaries.

We must again call the attention of the secretaries of the local lodges to the fact that all news items intended for publication in this department of the POST-DISPATCH must reach the office not later than noon on Friday of each week. Owing to many of the items that are sent in having to be rewritten, classified, etc., and the difficult task that it is control the secret order department, it will easily be seen how necessary it is to have all correspondenee in early in order that all news may appear in the paper at the proper time,

Pass Words.

Six Grand State Lecturers have been commissioned by Judge Keller, Grand Conductor of the Royal Templars of Illinois.

The death of Joseph C. Pinckney, Past Exalted Grand Ruler of the Order of Elks, of New York, is announced. Deceased was an active Republican and prominent Mason.

At the next meeting of the Supreme Council of the Royal Arcanum a proposition will be submitted making applicants for membership over 50 or 55 years of age ineligible on account of their age.

Alton, Ill., is well supplied with the secret craft, having as follows: A. F. and A. M.—2 lodges, 1 chapter, 1 council, 1 commandary, 1 conclave. I. O. O. F.—Two lodges. K. of P., K. of H., Hiragari, A. O. U. W., I. O. M. A., one lodge each. Upper Alton also has four lodges and one Royal Arch Chapter. There are 150 members of endowment fraternities in Alton, carrying from $2,000 to $3,000 insurance on their lives.

RELIGIOUS NOTES.

President J. F. Cooke, of Lagrange College, will spend Sunday in the city.

The Y. M. C. A. had a quartette of its own last Sunday afternoon, which sang very acceptably.

Rev. A. Machett has been called from Clinton to the pastorate of the Baptist Church in Boonville.

Rev. Le Roy Houd, of Iowa, has taken charge of the Congregational Church at Webster Grove.

Father Converse, S. J., is dangerously ill with dropsy, and his physicians have little hopes of his recovery.

Rev. M. L. Laws, Superintendent of Baptist Sunday Schools in the State, spent part of the week in the city.

Mr. C. C. Nicholls will lead the Y. M. C. A. Song Service at Eleventh and Locust streets this evening at 8 o'clock.

Prof. J. A. Lanins will conduct the Young Men's Gospel meeting at the Y. M. C. Association to-morrow at 4 p. m.

C. J. Scofield will address the Fairmount Sunday School at 3 o'clock, and preach at the High Street Church at 7:30 p. m.

Rev. Robert West has gone to attend the Springfield Congregational Association, and will preach on Sunday at Bonne Terre.

Dr. Goodell will preach a five-minute children's sermon before the regular discourse on Sunday morning at Pilgrim Church.

The Chinese Sunday-school assembles at the Y. M. C. A. parlor every Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. It attracts many visitors.

Father Brady, of the Annunciation Church, who has been without an assistant for several years, will soon be provided with a curate.

Dr. G. A. Lofton, of the Third Baptist Church, is in Louisville, preaching for Dr. J. L. Burrows. His pulpit will be supplied to-day.

The Y. M. C. A. Medical Mission is organized, and the rooms furnished. The work will begin next week. A full medical faculty have been secured.

The Y. M. C. A. will hold their regular monthly members' reunion and concert on next Thursday. A literary and musical programme of much interest is promised.

Dr. M. Rhodes, of the English Lutheran Church, will preach at Pilgrim Church, corner Washington and Ewing avenues, on Sunday night, the two congregations joining in a union service.

Rev. Robert West, the general superintendent in the Southwest of Congregational missions, and well-known as an evangelist and preacher, will preach at the Y. M. C. A. hall to-morrow evening at 8 o'clock.

The short Sunday evening services at St. George's Church are proving a great success. They consist of a service of song with a brief address by Dr. Fulton, the pastor. St. George's Church was crowded on last Sunday night.

The Y. M. C. A. railroad building at East St. Louis was completed to-day. It will be very home-like and attractive for the men. The work of furnishing and opening it will be pushed at once by Capt. Johnson, the secretary.

On Sunday morning Dr. Boyd's subject at the Second Baptist Church will be "The Preciousness of Redemption." Communion will follow. In the evening there will be a service of song, after which the pastor will discourse upon "The Mote in our Brother's Eye."

The quarterly business meeting of the Second Baptist Church was held last Monday evening. The treasurer's report showed that the expenses of the quarter had been met by the pew rentals and that there is a balance in the treasury. Mr. S. M. Stell was elected treasurer, vice D. H. Chapman, resigned.

A movement is far advanced to purchase a lot fronting on Hyde Park, and move the Fairmount Church upon it and organize a Congregational Church there. It is understood that the members of the former church will, as a general thing, enter heartily into the movement, thus securing a pleasant church home and beautiful location free from debt.

BOB DITTO of New Philadelphia, Ohio, was an idle fellow, but not a rascal, and he was offended when he received an anonymous letter asking him to commit a highway robbery. The proposed victim was Edward Sluthom, who, the writer said, would be out on a certain night with $300 in his pocket. Bob arranged a mock robbery with Sluthom, who reported a loss of the money. Then Bob received a second letter demanding a share of the booty, and planning several crimes that would be likely to prove profitable. A meeting was thought about, and the schemer turned out to be a woman of excellent reputation.

A RIFLE MATCH.

How the Central Missourian is Trained as a Sharp-Shooter.

Squirrel-Barking and the Hazel Switch —Home Marksmen in the Woods.

Special Correspondence of the Post-Dispatch.

PROCTOR, MO., March 31.—Just at this season of the year our Central Missouri sport of rifle-shooting is at its zenith, and as I have just come back from a match in which some marksmanship was shown worthy of Leather-Stocking in his palmiest days, I do not know what I can better do than open the eyes of the good people at home as mine were opened here. In the first place, I am in the forest primeval. For hundreds of miles, as one might say, in every direction the dense timber of the Ozark foot-hills extends. This settlement of Proctor from which I write is upon the Osage River in the very best game country in the State. The woods are full of many pointed bucks, not yet habited enough to the white man to fly the country, glorious turkeys, so plentiful that the people cut the breast into steaks and let the rest go to the dogs; wolves, and an occasional bear are here for those who like that kind of thing, and, in fact, there is no spot within easy reach of St. Louis which offers so many charms for the hunter and fisher as this strip of Osage between Morgan and Camden counties. Of course, this plenty of game in the woods has educated the people into a race of sharp-shooters. Their arms of precision might not strike the metropolitan mind as implying much preciseness, but when one has seen what these shockly old guns can do one gathers new respect for the muzzle loader. There are men in those woods who can put a bullet upon a given spot at sixty and a hundred paces with as much nicety and exactness as though they laid it there with their fingers. When it is remembered that this sort of sharp-shooting is entirely without the aid of wind guages and micrometer screws; but purely the result of a personal equation, reduced to zero, it can be better appreciated. This morning it was announced up and down the creek that there was to be "a shoot for a beef" at the Marriott farm at the mouth of Proctor, and consequently all who were accurate and exact in the shooting fraternity gathered there. The beginning of the match was just the same as every rifle match ever shot in the country. A large tree standing out in the clearing was selected as the target and a blaze made on its side with a hatchet. Upon this open space a cross was cut with two strokes of the edge of the axe and sixty paces were stepped off crossways with the sun. Four of the shooters "broke four corners," as hitting the exact center is called, six times in succession, which let all the other marksmen out. Next, some harder tests were begun at a hundred paces. One of the four dropped out, leaving the three men, Hi Bond, John Collier and Dave Walters, to divide the beef as they saw fit. Fortunately they determined to shoot it out and settle the mooted point of who was the best marksman in Proctor. It will be remembered that the guns these men were using were the old fashioned Kentucky rifle, with the stock coming up to the muzzle, and the whole arm held together by wires and strings innumerable. Each of them had its own peculiarity, of which Bond's gun, perhaps, was the most distressing, as the trigger-guard and the lock fell off every time it was fired. A hazel wand was stuck up in the earth, and an even hundred paces stepped off. Each one of the three nicked the switch, and a new test had to be proposed, which took the veritable shape told by Cooper, of Leather-Stocking "barking squirrels." A walk of half a mile through the wood brought the party to a glen where there were plenty of targets, and both Collier and Walters killed their squirrel not with quite a fair shot as in each instance the track of the ball could be seen furrowed out across the animal's stomach. Hi Bond, however, was luckier; a squirrel was seen on the top of a gigantic pecan tree fully seventy feet from the ground and the marksman took up his position a hundred feet and more from the tree he drew a bead finer and finer upon the limb just below the unconscious target, taking fully a minute to adjust his aim to a microscopic exactness, then his whole frame stiffened suddenly as one with an epileptic stroke, and the crack of the gun and the leap of the squirrel into the air were simultaneous. There was not a break in its skin, not a hair cut off by the ball—it had been fairly and squarely barked; but Bond's rifle had suffered more—the stock came completely off with the recoil and the gun was an utter wreck.

If these Missourians can do this sort of thing with the ridiculous arms they have, what would they do with the 1,000 yard rifles of Creedmoor with Oernier sights and all the mechanism of artistic gunnery? No such sharpshooters could be found in the whole world as they would be. VIATOR.

LOCAL BILLIARDS.

The Popularity of Fifteen Ball Pool—No Games Allowed for Money.

Billiard playing does not seem to subside a particle, although there has been nothing specially interesting in the way of large games during the entire week, and at the Monarch Hall the receipts were larger than on the previous one. At Mussey's Parlor the income was fully up to the previous week, and at the Lindell, Lupe's and the Laclede the superintendents all said that business was good and they had no cause for complaint. Fifteen-ball pool seems to be coming into high favor again, and quite a number of the best amateur billiard experts are indulging in this species of fun.

Harry Baldwin, in charge of the pool tables at the Monarch Hall room, has developed into a phenomenal fifteen-ball pool player. Last Monday he played three games in which there were five expert contestants. In the first game Harry shot second and pocketed the entire fifteen balls, the first man having failed to hole any from the burst. The second game he shot fourth, his predecessors having failed to score, and again holed the entire fifteen. In the third game Harry shot first, and having scored one, then pocketed the remaining fourteen balls, thus scoring the entire forty-five balls in three successive games. Once prior to this exploit he holed forty-eight balls in succession. This is wonderful playing. Harry has been beating the Memphis expert so badly during the past week that the latter has become disgusted and forsworn pool, and is now amusing himself with legitimate billiard playing, at which he is quite expert.

Will Baldwin, the superintendent of Monarch Billiard Hall, has made arrangements to introduce a numoer of improvements in his room during the coming week.

Mr. Chas. E. Mussey has issued an order prohibiting any further billiard playing for money in his parlor, and whenever anything of the kind is about to take place and becomes known to either Mr. Mussey or Mr. Sam Baldwin, the superintendent, the game will not be permitted to proceed. Of course this does not apply to contests for prizes or purses gotten up by lovers of the sport who are willing to contribute in order to witness first-class games.

In the first part of the week Catton and Emery played a match game of 500 points at Mussey's Parlor for $40, the money being put up outside, but it was not known until after the game was through, and then Messrs. Mussey and Baldwin were very angry at the deception practiced upon them. At the close the score stood—Catton, 500, with an average of 9 5-55; Emery 303, with an average of 5 28-55. Catton's largest runs 24, 70, 33, 79, 52, 21, 21 and out on 30. Emery's largest runs 19, 21, 28, 31.

On Wednesday Emery played five games of 100 points each with J. W. Spencer, one of the contestants in the late second-class tournament of Mussey's Parlor, giving the latter the odds of the double discount and winning four games. On Thursday they played four similar games Emery, winning them all.

Thursday afternoon Messrs. Benedict and Emery played a twenty-five point game of three-cushion carom. At the wind up the score stood: Benedict, 25; Emery, 21.

There is quite a good deal of talk among the respective friends of Billy Catton and Wm. Emery of contributing sufficient funds to make up a purse of $100, and then have a protracted game of 2,000 points, straight billiards, to come off during the ensuing week at Mr. Mussey's Parlor—500 points to be played each day for four successive days—the object being to determine which man has the most speed and nerve in a long game.

THE TABLE.

Things That Cheer the Inner Man and Their Prices.

The cold, disagreeable condition of the weather during the week has had a tendency to cut off considerable trade from the marketers, and business all around has been dull.

VEGETABLES.

According to Andrew Keelter & Son, of the Union Market, quotations range as follows:

Sweet potatoes, 25 cents per peck; Irish potatoes, 30 to 40 cents; turnips 30 to 40 cents, which is an advance over last week of 10 cents; carrots, 25 cents; onions, 60 cents; parsnips, 25 cents; tomatoes, $1 25; apples 25 to 40 cents; beets, plenty at 25 cents; radishes, 30 to 40; per dozen; lettuce 75 cents per dozen heads; spring onions, 20 to 25 cents per dozen; pie plant, 40 to 50 cents per dozen; cabbage heads, $1 to 2 per dozen; strawberries, first of the season, 50 cents per pint.

Butter, Eggs and Cheese—Charles T. Fitzpatrick, of the Union Market, quotes the following: Elgin creamery butter is offered at 40 cents; Northern dairy 35 cents per pound an advance of of 5 cents over last week's figures; roll butter 20 to 25 cents; cooking butter 15 cents to 17½ cents.

Eggs have advanced from 12½ to 14 cents per dozen and the supply light.

Western cheese is selling at 12½ cents and New York's best at 18 cents. Extract of honey held at 15 cents per pound, and comb honey at 20 cents.

Meats—The trade is dull, and no improvement is looked for under ten or fifteen days. Choice veal is going at from 8 to 10 cents per pound; beef at from 6 to 15 cents; pork at 10 cents; mutton from 5 to 12½ cents; corned beef at from 5 to 8 cents, and slow sale. Spring lambs are selling dressed at $5 each, and brisk demand.

Game—Mallard ducks are still held at 25 cents; teal ducks at the same; mixed at 20 cents each; snipe is plenty at $2 50 a dozen; sand snipe can be had at $1 per dozen; wild geese at 25 cents each; chickens are scarce at 40 cents each; turkey is scarce and is offering at 20 cents per pound, an advance of 2½ cents of the prices of last week; squirrels are going at 10 cents each and rabbits are out of season.

Fish—The supply is no better owing to the continued cold weather, and prices are unusually high and will remain so for at least fifteen days more.

Oysters—This month winds up the season for oyster soup. The supply now on the market is very small, owing to the fact that the winter's cold has killed hundreds of thousands. Standards are selling at 30c per quart; selects from New York go at 50c per quart. Standards in cans sell at 30c and selects at 50c. By the gallon standards sell at $1 10 and selects at $2. Eastman & Meletio, of the Union Market, have made arrangements to keep fresh oysters packed in ice and for sale all summer.

THE POOL ROOMS.

A Lively Betting Season—Programme of the Mobile Races Nexi Week.

Roche's Turf Exchange is doing large business in the way of book-making upon the turf events to take place during the coming season, also in the matter of combination tickets on various sporting events to take place in the near future—notably on the municipal election, which takes place next Tuesday, the Mobile races, which begin the same day, and the Schaefer-Slosson billiard match for $2,000 a side, which takes place in New York on Monday, April 11.

The first races of the season will be those at Mobile, Alabama, which will last three days, beginning Tuesday, April 5, with probable extra races on the 8th. Combination tickets are being sold at Roche's Exchange, and on the racing days auction pools will be sold. The following are the races for each day:

Tuesday, April 5.—First Race—Mile heats, welter weights: purse $125—$90 to first, $20 to second, and $15 to third horse. Second Race—Mile dash: purse $100—$70 to first, $20 to second, and $10 to third horse. Third Race—One and one-fourth mile dash: purse, $125; $80, $30 and $15 to first, second and third horses respectively.

Wednesday, April 6.—First race, one-half mile dash for two-year-olds: purse, $75; $50 $15 and $10 to first, second and third horses. Second race, mile heats: purse, $100; $70, $20 and $10 to first, second and third horses. Third race, three-quarters of a mile dash for three-year-olds: purse, $100; $70, $20 and $10 to first, second and third horses.

Thursday, April 7.—First race—One and one-half mile dash for three-year-olds: purse $125; $80, $30 and $15 to the first, second and third horses.

Second race—One and one-eighth mile dash: purse $100; $70, $20 and $10 to first, second and third horses.

Third race—Three-quarter mile heats: purse $75; $50, $15 and $10 to first, second and third horses.

The purses are rather small but the interest is intense and there will be an abundance of outside betting. Races begin promptly at 3 o'clock every afternoon.

The New Orleans races begin on the 19th inst., and continue three days, and the next races in order will be those at Louisville. Sales of French Mutual tickets at the Exchange on the Schaefer-Slosson billiard match were: Schaefer, 155: Slosson, 161.

Chic in Matters of Grief.

Jules Claretie in the Paris Times.

One would think that the simple and silent grief was the most profound; Chic prescribes a ceremonious gravity on such occasions. Then in the middle of the salon where every widow receives her visits of condolence figures, draped generally in violet, the chair on which the deceased was wont to sit. If the chair with its draperies were left in the study or the cabinet, in its usual place, bearing the signs of grief, all would be well and good. But it is brought out into the salon and placed between two Japanese pouffs or two Louis XV. arm chairs. If some visitor, unfamiliar with the signification of these violet draperies, makes as if he were about to sit on this new-looking chair there is an exclamation like a scandalized sob. The actor, Rouviere, had an identical cry in George Sands' drama, "Maitre Favilla," when he said, ready to fall down on his knees, "C'est le fauteuil de mon pere." Grief is measured by the number of the draperies of the chair as well as by the number of horses that draw the hearse. When cremation is adopted grief will be measured by the sculpture and gilding on the urn.

The Parisian says of the Patti season at the Theatre des Nations, Paris: "The diva is still in full possession of all her marvellous artistic qualities. The artists who appear with her are, as was the case last year, worse than mediocre. The Patti performances are of no interest from the point of view of art, and we do not, therefore, propose to dwell upon them. We are only astonished that the Parisians, yielding more to the dictates of fashion than of curiosity, should conspire together to enrich the impressario of these exhibitions."

AMUSEMENTS.

Wm. E. Sheridan as Louis XI., at the Olympic.

The Danites at the Grand—The Troubadours at Pope's—Notes.

The theaters have been liberally patronized during the week. Maggie Mitchell at the Grand Opera-House played to excellent business, while Willie Edouin's Sparks filled the Olympic nightly. The Harrisons at Pope's also proved a popular attraction. Neither of the theaters has cause to complain of a dull week.

OLYMPIC.

On Monday Mr. William E. Sheridan is announced to appear in his famous impersonation of Louis XI., which has been acknowledged by press and public to be one of the finest pieces of acting on the stage, Mr. Sheridan will be supported by John McCullough's Company, and every attention will be paid to the stage setting. The costumes are rich, correct and elaborate. An exchange says of Sheridan's Louis XI.: "In the most minute detail, Mr. Sheridan places before his audience so artistic a reproduction of the manner and methods of that royal hypocritical scoundrel as described by historians, that artificial surroundings are for the moment forgotten, and the moral monster seems to stand before the audience in propria personæ. He has schooled his voice so perfectly to the task of representing the tones of a feeble, peevish old man, who at times, under the spur of ambition, momentarily bids defiance to age, that he has left next to nothing to be desired or improved in this direction. His portrayal of the physical decadence of the old monarch is realistically true in the smallest particular, and, in fact, from the opening to the final fall of the curtain, Mr. Sheridan maintains his claim to the title of a powerful and finished artist."

POPE'S.

Salsbury's Troubadours begin an engagement at Pope's on Monday, their first appearance here since their European tour. This company is the original of the many troupes now traveling the country with the same kind of entertainment, but none have come up to their standard. Miss Nellie McHenry, Mr. John Webster, Mr. Nat Salsbury and the other artists are all well and favorably known here. The Troubadours are sure of a warm welcome on their return.

GRAND OPERA-HOUSE.

The McKee Rankins—Kitty Blanchard—return on Monday to the Grand Opera-House, with their celebrated drama of the "Danites." A strong company will support them, and new scenery has been painted by Messrs. Nexon, Halley and Toomey. The "Danites" will form an attractive performance.

GEORGE HEUER'S BENEFIT.

To-night the annual benefit of George Heuer takes place at the Olympic. Willie Edouin's "Sparks" will furnish the entertainment. George Heuer is a popular, courteous and obliging gentleman and deserves a rousing benefit.

THE MR. AND MRS. SCOTT RECITAL.

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Scott, the talented elocutionists, announce their entertainment at Mercantile Library Hall for next Thursday evening, April 7. Both this lady and gentleman are well and favorably known as accomplished readers and a full house will greet them. The programme will be varied, and after the recitations the comedietta of "Off the Stage" will bring the entertainment to a close. Two ladies and two gentlemen will assist Mr. and Mrs. Scott in the cast. Seats can be obtained at Messrs. Balmer & Weber's.

DRAMATIC AND MUSICAL NOTES.

Frau Pappenheim and Theodore Wachtel are singing at the Frankfort Opera-house with great success.

Charles Stevenson (Kate Claxton's husband) is going to retire from the stage and embark in business, so says report.

"Donna Juanita," Von Suppe's new opera, will be brought out at the Fifth Avenue Theater, in New York, in May, by the Mahn Company.

From London comes the surprising news that the manuscripts of seven symphonies, by Schubert, have been discovered in the possession of a Mr. Grove.

The Amsterdam journals announce that Mlle. Sarah Bernhardt, on her return from America, will give three performances at the Hague and three at Amsterdam.

"All things that die shall live again," is the title of a very pretty Easter carol; music by Prof. Engler of Washington University and words by Mr. Nath W. Hunt. Can be had at all the music houses.

Planquette, the composer of "The Chimes of Normandy" ("Les Cloches de Corneville"), is writing a new work entitled "Rip Van Winkle," founded on the American legend.

Mr. Milton Nobles closes his seventh traveling season at the termination of his engagement at the Howard next week. He will open his next tour in St. Louis, September 12, and will make another trip to Colorado and California.

The "actors' colony" at Cohasset will lose two of its prominent members the coming summer, as Mr. Barrett proposes to sail for England in June, to remain until the middle of August, and Mr. C. R. Thore, Jr., will pass his vacation months at Newport.

Mr. N. C. Goodwin, Jr., has bought of Mr. Boucicault the right to play "Forbidden Fruit," and will shortly add it to his repertoire. It is more than likely that Mr. Goodwin will shortly start on a tour around the world, going to Australia after his engagement in San Francisco.

It is already known that æstheticism will form the subject of the next piece produced at the Opera Comique by Messrs. Gilbert and Sullivan. In one of the scenes the curtain rises and discovers a sentimental lady, of well-developed proportions, playing a nocturne on the violoncello by the side of a lake.

Mrs. Georgie Drew Barrymore, who appeared with the "One Hundred Wives" combination at the Park Theater during a portion of last week, sailed for England yesterday with her husband, Mr. Maurice Barrymore. They propose to join a company in London. Mrs. Barrymore's place in the company is very acceptably taken by Miss Margaret Cone, a sister of Kate Claxton.

"Michael Strogoff" was successfully brought out at the London Adelphi on March 14. In the course of the duel with knives, Charles Warner, who impersonated Strogoff, was seriously cut in the hand, and fainted from loss of blood, but managed to get through his part. Bartley Campbell is preparing a version of this play for the Kiralfy's, and Sam Colville will bring out his version at Niblo's at the opening of next season.

Died While Saying His Prayers.

From the Alexandria (Va.) Gazette.

Mr. William Johnston, who had been suffering for some time with heart disease and dropsy, but who was well enough to be out on Saturday last, was found dead in his room, where he lived alone, over Messrs. O'Neale & Lucas' auction store, on Royal street, yesterday morning about 7:30 o'clock, by a colored man named James Dudley, who waited on him. Messrs. Lewis Stein and R. T. Lucas, on being informed, went to the room and found Mr. Johnston kneeling beside his bed, with his arms and head resting on a chair as if in the act of saying his prayers, cold in death. It is supposed that death came to Mr. Johnston between the hours of 10 and 11 o'clock Saturday night, before retiring, while committing himself to the care of Him who never sleepeth.

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Boyle, Crarlie	Boy, Chr. 2
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Buering, Frederick	Bundrich, Fred
Beuerman, Fred	Buss, Franz
Blake, Geo.	Bennett, Harry Mrs.
Boalt, Henry	Brown, Henry
Broyere, H. P.	Blanford, Isabella Miss care of L. Lewis
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MARTROM D. LEWIS, Public Administrator for the City of St. Louis. Office S. W. Cor. Sixth and Locust Sts., Insurance Building.
St. Louis, March 19, 1881. 43K

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.—In re estate of August Uhrig, deceased.—Notice is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of **August Uhrig**, deceased, that I, the undersigned Public Administrator in charge of said estate, intend to make a final settlement thereof at the next term of the Probate Court of the city of St. Louis, to be holden at the Court-house in said city on the first Monday in June, A. D. 1881.

MARTROM D. LEWIS, Public Administrator for the City of St. Louis. Office N. W. Cor. Sixth and Locust streets, Insurance Building.
St. Louis, Mo., March 19, 1881. 44K

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.—In re estate of Frederick S. Foley, deceased.—Notice is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of **Frederick S. Foley**, deceased, that I the undersigned Public Administrator in charge of said estate, intend to make a final settlement thereof at the next term of the Probate Court of the city of St. Louis to be holden at the Court-house in said city on the first Monday in June, A. D. 1881.

MARTROM D. LEWIS, Public Administrator for the City of St. Louis. Office, Northwest Corner Sixth and Locust Streets, Insurance Building.
St. Louis, Mo., March 19, 1881. 46K

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.—In re estate of Frederick Klausmeyer, deceased.—Notice is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of **Frederick Klausmeyer**, deceased, that I the undersigned Public Administrator in charge of said estate, intend to make a final settlement thereof at the next term of the Probate Court of the city of St. Louis to be holden at the Court-house in said city on the first Monday in June, A. D. 1881.

MARTROM D. LEWIS, Public Administrator for the City of St. Louis. Office, Northwest Corner Sixth and Locust Streets, Insurance Building.
St. Louis, Mo., March 19, 1881. 47K

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.—In re estate of Frederick Lambrecht, deceased.—Notice is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of **Frederick Lambrecht**, deceased, that I the undersigned Public Administrator in charge of said estate, intend to make a final settlement thereof at the next term of the Probate Court of the city of St. Louis, to be holden at the Court-house in said city on the first Monday in June, A. D. 1881.

MARTROM D. LEWIS, Public Administrator for the City of St. Louis. Office, Northwest Corner Sixth and Locust Streets, Insurance Building.
St. Louis, Mo., March 19, 1881. 48K

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.—In re estate of Nancy J. Borden, deceased.—Notice is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of **Nancy J. Borden**, deceased, that I, the undersigned Public Administrator in charge of said estate with the will annexed, intend to make a final settlement thereof, at the next term of the Probate Court of the City of St. Louis, to be holden at the Court-house in said city on the first Monday in June, A. D. 1881.

MARTROM D. LEWIS, Public Administrator for the City of St. Louis. Office, Northwest Corner Sixth and Locust Streets, Insurance Building.
St. Louis, Mo., March, 1881. 49K

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.—In re estate of Catharine Bresch, deceased.—Notice is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of **Catharine Bresch**, deceased, that I, the undersigned Public Administrator in charge of said estate, intend to make a final settlement thereof at the next term of the Probate Court of the City of St. Louis, to be holden at the Court-house in said city on the first Monday in June, A. D. 1881.

MARTROM D. LEWIS, Public Administrator for the City of St. Louis. Office, Northwest Corner Sixth and Locust Streets, Insurance Building.
St. Louis, Mo., March 19, 1881. 50K

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.—In re estate of Margaret Withinton, deceased.—Notice is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of **Margaret Withinton**, deceased, that I, the undersigned Public Administrator in charge of said estate, intend to make a final settlement thereof at the next term of the Probate Court of the city of St. Louis, to be holden at the Court-house in said city on the first Monday in June, A. D. 1881.

MARTROM D. LEWIS, Public Administrator for the City of St. Louis. Office, Northwest Corner Sixth and Locust Streets, Insurance Building.
St. Louis, Mo., March 19, 1881. 51K

LEGAL.

Trustees' Sales.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.—Whereas, the Greenleaf Mining Company, by its deed of trust, dated June 24, 1875, and recorded in the office of the County Clerk and Recorder of Summit county, in the State of Colorado, in book No. 10 of deeds, page 337, did convey to Daniel G. Taylor and the undersigned, as trustees, and to the survivor of them, (the said Taylor and the undersigned) the following described real and personal property, rights and interests, all situate and being in the State of Colorado, viz.: The mining property, situate, lying and being in Spaulding Mining District, in said county of Summit, commencing at a stake located at the head of the pit and at the upper line of claim No. three on Klack Gulch, and running up said gulch the distance of 1,400 feet and in width 100 feet on each side from the center of said gulch.

Also the property commencing at a stake about 100 feet below the cabin formerly occupied by Thomas Klack, and running up a sag where said Klack formerly worked the distance of 500 feet and in width 100 feet on each side of said sag from the center thereof.

Also the property commencing at a point opposite the center of the bridge, crossing at Blue River, at Breckenridge, and running up said river 1,000 feet to a stake near the fall of the dam on said river at Breckenridge, and in width from hill to hill on each side of said Blue River.

Also the property following, being a ditch and the right of water thereto, known as Klack's ditch, and conveying water from Blue River to said Klack's Gulch. Also the property commencing at the upper line of Thomas Klack's pre-emption claim, situate and lying in Klack Gulch aforesaid, running up said gulch a distance of 1,600 feet and in width 100 feet on each side of said gulch from the center thereof; all the forogoing being in said mining district and Summit county. Also the following property in said Summit county, commencing at the upper line of pre-emption claim made by A. M. Greenleaf and others, dated July 25, 1870, and recorded in book L, page 207 records of said Summit county and on Klack's Gulch, in said county, and running up said gulch a distance of 3,000 feet at a width of 200 feet on each side of said gulch from the center thereof. Also the following described property, situate, lying and being in Union Patch, in Spaulding Mining District and said Summit county, being claims Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7 on the first tier south of Discovery tier; also claims Nos. 2, 3, 4 and 5 on the second tier south of Discovery tier, also claims No. 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7 on the second tier north of Discovery tier, also the undivided one-half of claims Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 on the fourth tier south of Discovery tier, also an undivided four-fifth interest of in and to the Cork-screw flume and ditch which carrries water from Stillson's Patch to Union Patch aforesaid. Also the whole of claim No. 6 on the fifth tier south of Discovery tier on the aforesaid Union Patch, the last described property being the same deeded by Mower and Hanks to A. M. Greenleaf by warranty deed filed for record October 1st, 1870, and recorded in book 8, page 344 of the records of said Summit county. Also all the right, title and interest of the said Greenleaf Mining Company in and to a certain lease, and the right thereunder made by one S. J. Mower and Melchior Hanks to A. M. Greenleaf, which said lease bears date the 1st day of October, 1870, and filed for record in the Recorder's office of said Summit county, in book 8, page 346 of the said record of deeds, which said lease is for the term of 99 years from the 1st day of October, A. D., 1870, and being the right to the use of the water from Blue River Gold Run and Union Trench of ditches after the water has been used as mentioned in said lease. Also the following described property situated on Union Patch aforesaid, to wit: Claims Nos. 3, 4 and 5 east on tier 3 west from Discovery tier, also a ditch and the right of water thereto, conveying water from little lake on Illinois Gulch to Cork-screw Gulch, this being the same property deeded to A. M. Greenleaf by deed and recorded in book 8, page 543, Summit County Records of Deeds. Also the following described property situate, lying and being in Spaulding District aforesaid, to-wit: Three side claims on the Blue River adjoining the northeast claims purchased by A. M. Greenleaf of Thomas Klack. Also claims numbered from 1 to 9 both inclusive, last on first tier north of Discovery tier; also claims 1, 2 and 3 last on second tier north of Discovery tier on Union Patch aforesaid. And also a ditch commencing at a point about one-fourth of a mile above the building formerly occupied by Whitman and Shollcross, and running down to the Klack claims aforesaid. Above property was deeded by M. and A. Silverthorn to A. M. Greenleaf et al. and recorded in book 8, page 152, of records of deeds of Summit county aforesaid. Also the following described property, to-wit: All the right, title and interest in and to a certain water right and the ground therefor, and to convey said water from Blue River to Klack Gulch aforesaid, and which right was first located and pre-empted by A. M. Greenleaf, and the record thereof is recorded in book "L" page 206, of the records of Summit county aforesaid. Also the following described property to-wit: All the ditch and water rights pre-empted by A. M. Greenleaf, July 14, 1871, and recorded in book "L" page 294, in Summit county records. Also all the water in Sawmill Gulch, and the streams running through Jones' and Barnett's pasture, which said waters were pre-empted by A. M. Greenleaf as follows, to-wit: Those of Sawmill Gulch September 15, A. D. 1870, and recorded in book "L" page 228, of records of Summit county aforesaid: those of Jones' and Barnett's pasture September 7, A. D. 1870, and recorded in book "L" page 222, of Summit county records aforesaid; all the foregoing property mentioned in this conveyance being situate in the County of Summit and State of Colorado. Also all the right, title and interest which the party of the first part has or may acquire by virtue of a deed bearing date the 16th day of January, A. D. 1873, between A. M. Greenleaf, of the city of Chicago, County of Cook and State of Illinois, of the first part, and Daniel Dillon, as trustee of the Greenleaf Mining Co. of the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, and by said Greenleaf properly signed and acknowledged of, in and to the following described property situate, lying and being in Lomax Gulch, in Spaulding Mining District, County of Summit and State of Colorado, to-wit: Commencing at a large pine tree upon which is inscribed "Pre-emption by Greenleaf and Jones, June 6, A. D. 1872," located at the mouth of said Lomax Gulch; thence running up said gulch a distance of 5,000 feet and in width 100 feet on each side of the center of said gulch. Also the following side claims on said gulch to-wit: Commencing at the lower line of the above described pre-emption, and thence running up on each side and parallel with the gulch claims the distance of 5,000 feet and in width 100 feet on each side, said Greenleaf's interest being the undivided half of the above described mining lands, being the same property deeded to Greenleaf and Jones, the 8th day of June, A. D. 1872, and recorded in book L, page 362, Summit County Records. Also, the undivided half interest in the following described property situate in the county and State aforesaid, to-wit: situate, lying and being on Saw-mill, Cucumber, Haywood and Greenleaf patches in Spaulding and Quartz Mining Districts, to-wit: On Saw-mill Patch, commencing at the southeast corner of the pre-emption by Greenleaf and Jones, on Lomax Gulch, and recorded in book L, page 362; thence running southwardly 1,000 feet; thence westwardly 5,000 feet, thence northwardly 1,000 feet, thence eastwardly 5,000 feet to the place of beginning. On Cucumber Patch, commencing at the northeast corner of the pre-emption by Greenleaf and Jones, on Lomax Gulch, as recorded in book L, page 362, thence running northwardly 1,000 feet, thence westwardly 5,000 feet, thence southwardly 1,000 feet, thence eastwardly 5,000 feet to the place of beginning. On Haywood Patch, commencing at the northeast corner of side claims as pre-empted on Iowa Gulch by William Pardnteau et al., recorded in book L, page 372, thence running northwardly 1,000 feet, thence westwardly 5,000 feet, thence southwardly 1,000 feet, thence eastwardly 5,000 feet to the place of beginning. On Greenleaf Patch, commencing at the northeast corner of Haywood Patch as pre-empted and recorded in book L, page 380, thence running northwardly 1,000 feet, thence westwardly 5,000 feet, thence southwardly 1,000 feet, thence eastwardly 5,000 feet to the place of beginning, being the same property deeded to Greenleaf and Jones, first day of August, 1872, and duly recorded in book L, pages 377, 378, 379, 380, 381 and 382 Summit county records. Also, the undivided half of the following described mining property, situate, lying and being on Sonard Gulch, in Miners' Mining District, county of Summit, and State of Colorado, to-wit: commencing at a stake located 400 feet from its mouth upon which is inscribed "Greenleaf and Jones, August 2nd, 1872;" thence running up said gulch a distance of 6,000 feet and in width 200 feet on each side of the center of said gulch. Also, a tier of side claims on each side of said gulch, commencing at the lower line of the above described pre-emption, and thence running up parallel and adjoining the gulch claims the distance of 6,000 feet and in width 200 feet on each side, being the same property as deeded to Greenleaf and Jones the 5th day of August, 1872, and recorded in book L, page 385 Summit county records. Also, all the interest of the said Greenleaf Mining Company, in the following described property situate, lying and being in the county of Summit, State of Colorado, to-wit: The ditch and water rights as pre-empted by the said A. M. Greenleaf, July 14, 1871, and duly recorded in book L, page 294, Summit county records, said pre-emption was made for the purpose of conveying the water of Cooley and other gulches crossed or to be crossed by said ditch right to Saw Mill Gulch; also, on Gold Hill in Gold Hill Mining District the following mining property, to-wit: Commencing at the head of South Gulch, thence running down said gulch eight hundred (800) feet in width, 250 feet on each side of the center of said gulch; also on Resergoir Gulch commencing at the mouth of said gulch and running up the same 1,000 feet and in width 400 feet on each side of the centre of said gulch: also the following, commencing at a blazed pine tree marked "D. M. Morrow et al., September 5, 1871," thence running south 1,800 feet to a stake, thence west 800 feet to a stake, thence north 1,800 feet to a stake, thence east 800 feet to the place of beginning; also on Morrow Patch, commencing at a blazed pine tree marked, "Pre-emption of D. M. Morrow, September 5, 1871," thence running north 2,400 feet, thence west 1,200 feet, thence south 2,400 feet, thence east 1,200 feet to the place of beginning; also on Blue River in Gold Hill District and adjoining the above, to-wit; Commencing at a stake marked P and Z 6,000 feet, August 25, 1873, located on the west bank of Blue River and running down said river 6,000 feet and in width from hill to hill on each side of the center of said river: also the Gold Hill Consolidated Ditch; also 1,000 inches of water taken from the Blue River at the head of Gold Ditch; also all water the natural channels of which are crossed by said ditch, being the same as pre-empted by H. H. Lilinthal et al. in the spring of 1874; also in Gold Hill Mining District on Cooley's Patch and crossed by the Gold Hill ditch, to-wit: commencing at a stake at the northeast corner of of said patch marked "Pre-emption of Thomas D. Baker et al., June 10, 1874," thence running southerly 4,000 feet to a stake thence westerly 600 feet to a stake, thence northerly 4,000 feet to a stake, thence easterly 600 feet to the place of beginning, being the same property as conveyed to the Greenleaf Mining Company by deeds bearing date June 12 and 15, 1874 and recorded in book 10, pages 62, 65 and 66. Also Thompson's Patch, in Miners' Mining District, to-wit; commencing at a stake at the southeast corner of McHugh's Patch and marked "Pre-emption of George B. Thompson et al., July 1, 1874," thence running southerly 3,000 feet to a stake, thence westerly 1,000 feet to a stake, thence northerly three thousand feet to a stake, thence easterly one thousand feet to the place of beginning, being the same property deed to the Greenleaf Mining Company by George B. Thompson September 30, 1874, and recorded in book 10, page 143. Also on Detroit or Illinois Gulch, to-wit: commencing 700 feet below the upper line of pre-emption of John McDonald et al., as recorded in book L, page 289, thence running down said gulch 3,300 feet, and in width 150 feet on each side of the centre of said gulch; also side claims on said gulch as follows, to-wit: Commencing at the upper line of said McDonald et al.'s claims, thence running down parallel and adjoining the gulch claims on each side the distance of 4,600 feet and in width 150 feet on each side: also, on Blue River, to-wit: Commencing at the centre of the bridge in the town of Breckenridge, thence running down said river 4,700 feet, and in width from hill to hill on each side of the centre of said river (subject, however, to a claim of 300 feet in the bed or channel of said river, claimed and held for dumping purposes by the Gen. Grant Mining Co., commencing at the mouth of French Gulch and running down 300 feet below on Blue River); also an undivided one-half interest in Rohly Patch, consisting of two tracts of mining ground of the following dimensions, to-wit: One tract of 1,500 feet in width by 2,000 feet in length, and the other tract 3,000 feet in length by 400 feet in width, being the same property as deeded by Dennis T. Rohly to Wm. P. Pollock and A. M. Greenleaf, July 7th, 1871, and recorded in book 8, page 570, and deeded May 29th, 1874, by A. M. Greenleaf to the Greenleaf Mining Co., and recorded in book 10, page 48 of Summit county records. And also all the ditches, flumes, pits, mines, milling and water privileges, tools and implements, rights and privileges that the said Greenleaf Mining Company now owns or may at any time hereafter become the owner of. Which conveyance was executed to secure the payment of certain bonds and coupons therein described. And whereas, default has been made in the payment of bonds Nos. 90, 91, 92, 93, and 94, each for $1,000, and in the payment of the coupons thereof, for more than sixty days after they became due and after demand made, and they and the said five bonds to which they belong have become past due. And whereas, the said Daniel G. Taylor is dead, and demand has been made on me as surviving trustee by the holder of said bonds, etc., to execute said trust. Now, therefore, I, as surviving trustee, will sell said property to the highest bidder, at the east front door of the Court-house on Fourth street in the City of St. Louis, on

THURSDAY, THE 31ST DAY OF MARCH, A. D. 1881,

for cash, to satisfy said debts and for the purposes of said trust.

D. H. NAYLOR, Surviving Trustee.
M. KINEALY, Att'y. 1Z

The sale of the property above advertised is hereby postponed to Saturday, the 30th day of April, 1881, then to take place at the same place between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m.

D. H. NAYLOR, Trustee.

THE five bonds referred to in the above advertisement will be redeemed within the sixty days—leaving parties interested to adjust their matters between themselves. GREENLEAF MINING CO., WILLIAM DOWNING, President.

WHEREAS, Paul Buol and Magdalena Buol, his wife, by their certain deed of trust dated the fifth day of October, eighteen hundred and seventy-five, and recorded in the Recorder's office of St. Louis county (now city) in book 533, page 40, did convey to the undersigned trustee the real estate in said deed of trust and hereinafter described, in trust for the purpose of securing the payment of a certain promissory note in said deed of trust described; and whereas, default has been made in the payment of said note, now, therefore, the undersigned trustee will, at the request of the legal holder of said note, and in pursuance of the provisions of said deed of trust, on

SATURDAY, THE TWENTY-THIRD DAY OF APRIL, A. D. 1881,

between the hours of ten o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at the eastern front door of the Court-house in the city of St. Louis, Mo., sell at public vendue to the highest bidder, for cash, the real estate in said deed of trust described as follows, to wit:

The following described real estate situate, lying and being in the county of St. Louis in the State of Missouri, to-wit:

Lots numbered (5) five and (8) eight of a subdivision of lot number (77) seventy-seven of the "Mackenzie Tract," a subdivision of the county of St. Louis, State of Missouri, a plat of which is recorded in the office of the Recorder of Deeds for St. Louis County (now city), containing (9 27-100 acres) nine and twenty-seven hundredths acres, as represented on said plat, it being the same property acquired by Paul Buol of the city of St. Louis, by deed dated the 15th day of October, 1870, and recorded in the Recorder's office of St. Louis county, (now city), in book 442, page 62, for the purposes of said trust.

LOUIS HOLY, Trustee.
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Sheriff's Sales

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of an execution issued from the office of the clerk of the Circuit Court of the City of St. Louis, returnable to the April term, 1881, of said court, and to me directed, in favor of Laura M. Armstrong, and against David H. Armstrong, I have levied upon and seized all the right, title and interest of the defendant, David H. Armstrong, in and to the following described real estate, situated in the City of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and describedas follows, to-wit:

A piece or parcel of land in city block one (1), having a front width of 44 feet and 6 inches on Front street, by a length or depth of 93 feet and 2 inches, and being bounded on the north by the real estate of one Brown, on the east by Front street, on the south by Plum street, and on the west by commercial street.

And I will, on

THURSDAY, THE 14TH DAY OF APRIL, 1881,

between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-House, in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, all the right, title, interest, claim, estate and property of the above named David H. Armstrong, said defendant, of, in and to the above described property to satisfy said execution and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON, Sheriff of the City of St. Louis.
St. Louis, Mo., March 19, 1881. 38K

SHERIFF'S SALE—By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court at the city of St. Louis, returnable to the April term, 1881, of said Court, and to me directed, wherein the State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of Myer A. Rosenblatt, Collector of the city of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, is plaintiff, and Augusta Borcherding, Louisa Weise and Frederick Weise, and M. B. Jonas, guardian ad litem for said Augusta Borcherding, are defendants.

I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the lien of tax bill on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

Lot No. 4, in block No. 8 of Stoddard's addition to the city of St. Louis, said lot being also in city block No. 973 of said city, and having a front of 27 feet on Jefferson avenue and a width in the rear of 53 feet 2 inches by a depth on one side of 103 feet and a depth of 100 feet on the other side.

And I will on

SATURDAY, THE 9TH DAY OF APRIL, 1881,

between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON, Sheriff, City of St. Louis, Mo.
St. Louis, Mo., March 16, 1881. 97J

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of a general and special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the City of St. Louis, returnable to the June term, 1881, of said court, and to me directed, in favor of the Fulton Iron Works, a corporation, and against the Yeager Milling Company, a corporation.

I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the City of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the lien therefor, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

A large flouring mill commonly known and called the Yeager Mill, improvements, machinery and engines and the ground whereon the same are situated, being the following described piece or parcel of land in the City of St. Louis, to-wit.:

A lot of ground situated in block No. 1692 of said city, commencing at a point 156 feet and ¾ inches southwardly from Clark avenue, where the east line of Mercer street intersects the south line of an alley fifteen feet wide, thence southwardly along the east line of Mercer street 133 feet 7½ inches to a point, thence eastwardly with the southern line of a stone wall and its continuation which is the south boundary of a flour mill recently burned 150 feet to the west line of an alley 15 feet wide, thence northwardly along the west line of said alley 131 feet 1 inch to the south line of an alley 15 feet wide, before mentioned, thence westwardly with the south line of said alley 150 feet to the point of commencement.

And I will, on

TUESDAY, THE 26TH DAY OF APRIL, 1881,

between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the City of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, charged with said lien herein, to satisfy said execution and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON, Sheriff of the City of St. Louis.
St. Louis, Mo., March 30, 1881. 2N

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the city of St. Louis, returnable to the April term, 1881, of said Court, and to me directed, wherein Ellen M. Sharkey, doing business as Ellen M. Farrell, and Dennis Sharkey, her husband, are plaintiffs, and Anne Wahrendorf Johnson, nee Blow, Richard M. Johnson, her husband, and John D. Johnson as trustee of Ann Wahrendorf Johnson, are defendants,

I have levied upon and seized all the right, title and interest of Annie Wahrendorf Johnson and John D. Johnson, her trustee, in and to the following described real estate situated in the City of St. Louis, Missouri, and charged with the lien therefor, and described in said execution and decree as follows, to-wit, and consisting of lot numbered 64, of Stoddard's addision to said city, and in block 1029 of said city, having a front of 25 feet on the southern line of Thomas street, by a depth of 118 feet 3 inches, more or less, to an alley.

And I will, on

WEDNESDAY, THE 27TH DAY OF APRIL, 1881,

between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, all the right, title, interest, claim, estate and property of the above named Annie Wahrendorf Johnson and John D. Johnson, her said trustee, said defendants of, in and to the above described property, charged with said lien herein, to satisfy said execution and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON, Sheriff of the city of St. Louis.
St. Louis, March 31, 1881. 12M

LEGAL.

Sheriff's Sales.

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of a general and special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the City of St. Louis, returnable to the June term, 1881, of said court, and to me directed, in favor of Michael Jodd, Jr., and Michael Jodd, Jr., administrator of Michael Jodd, Sr., deceased, and to the use of O. G. Hess, assignee, and against Thomas B. Duncan, I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate of Richard Duncan, George Ibers, Michael Tansberger and Philip Rothenbuecher, hereinafter described, charged with the lien therefor, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

A certain two-story double brick house, 44 by 48 feet, situated upon the following lot of ground, to-wit: The north half of the southeast quarter of block No. 6 of survey No. 2 of the former city of Carondelet, now a part of the city of St. Louis; now city block No. 3019 of the city of St. Louis, and more particularly described as follows: Commencing 75 feet 5 inches north of northwest corner of Fourth and Randolph streets and running from thence north 75 feet along the west line of Fourth street, thence westwardly 147 feet and 6 inches, thence southwardly 75 feet, thence eastwardly 147 feet to the place of beginning; all in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri.

And I will, on

FRIDAY, THE 22D DAY OF APRIL, 1881,

between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, charged with the lien herein, to satisfy said execution and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON, Sheriff City St. Louis, Mo.
St. Louis, Mo., March 29, 1881. 90H

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court at the city of St. Louis, returnable to the April Term, 1881, of said court, and to me directed, wherein the State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of Myer A. Rosenblatt, Collector of the city of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, is plaintiff, and David H. Armstrong, John J. Murdock, cestui que trust, James B. Eads and Barton Bates, executors of the estate of Charles K. Dickson, deceased, Francis Ringeling, cestui que trust, H. W. Leffingwell and Charles L. Hunt, trustees, John G. Priest, assignee of Murdock and Dickson, a late partnership, Albert Todd, trustee, James H. Britton, cestui que trust, Gerard B. Allen, trustee, the National Bank of the State of Missouri in St. Louis, a national banking institution and corporation, W. S. Johnston, receiver of the National Bank of the State of Missouri, Edward P. Curtis, trustee, Estell McHenry, the Butchers' and Drovers' Bank, a corporation, and the Third National Bank of St. Louis, a national banking institution and corporation et al, were defendants, said plaintiff obtained a judgment in rem against the following described real estate, situate, lying and being within the said city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, I have therefore levied upon and seized said real estate, described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

Number 1—A lot or tract of land on Victor street, consisting of 6 and 60-100 acres and being in the Bacanne tract, being bounded on the north by Victor street, on the east by McNair avenue, on the south by Sidney street, and on the west by the real estate of one McNeil and others.

Number 6—A lot or tract of land in city block number 2179 on Grand avenue, 72-100 of an acre, and being in block 21 in the city commons, being bounded on the north by real estate in the North Compton Hill addition, on the east by Grand avenue, on the south by the real estate of one Willi, and on the west by Motard avenue.

Number 7—A lot or tract of land in city block number 2175 on Grand avenue, consisting of 1 and 57-100 acres, and being in block 20 in the city commons, being bounded on the north by real estate in the North Compton Hill addition, on the east by real estate in the Darby addition, on the south by the real estate of one Haywood, and on the west by Grand avenue.

Number 8—A lot in city block number 241 on Second street, being 62 feet in front or width and 80 feet in depth, being bounded on the north and east by the real estate of one Benoist, on the south by Mullanphy street, and on the west by Second street.

Number 9—A lot in city block No. 265, on Eleventh street, being 42 feet in front or width and 103 feet in depth, being bounded on the north by the real estate of one Duggan, on the east by Eleventh street, on the south by the real estate of one Wolff, and on the west by an alley.

Number 10—A lot or tract of land on Chouteau avenue, consisting of 1 and 79-100 acres, and being lot 2 of city lot 21 in the city commons, being bounded on north by Chouteau avenue, on the east by Motard avenue, on the south by the real estate of one Street, and on the west by the real estate of one Willi.

Number 11—Two lots in city block No. 2269 on Chouteau avenue, each being 25 feet in front or width and 117 feet and 2 inches in depth, and being lots 2 and 3 respectively in block 2 in Dillon's addition to said city.

Number 12—A lot in city block number 2269 on Chouteau avenue, being 25 feet in front or width and 117 feet and 2 inches in depth and being lot 4 in block 2 in Dillon's addition to city.

Number 13—Three lots in city block number 2269 on Armstrong avenue, each being 25 feet in front or width and 100 feet in depth, and being lots 6, 7 and 8 respectively in block 2 in Dillon's addition to said city.

Number 14—Nine lots in city block number 878 south, on Sidney street, each being 25 feet in front or width and 140 feet in depth, and being lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9 respectively, in block 2 in the Fair View addition to said city.

Number 15—A lot in city block number 878 south on Sidney street, being 35 feet and 3 inches in front or width and 140 feet in depth, and being lot 10 in block 2 in the Fair View addition to said city.

Number 16—Thirteen lots in city block No. 1407 on Sidney street, each being 25 feet in front or width and 153 feet and 5 inches in depth, and being lots 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36 and 37 respectively, in block 5, in the Fair View addition to said city.

Number 17—A lot in city block number 1407 on Sidney street being 26 feet and 6 inches in front or width and 153 feet and 5 inches in depth, and being lot 38 in block 5 in the Fair View addition to said city.

Number 18—Fourteen lots in city block number 1408 on Victor street, each being 25 feet in front or width and 153 feet and 5 inches in depth, and being lots 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64 and 65, respectively, in block 6, in the Fair View addition to said city.

No. 19—A lot in city block number 1408, on Victor street, being 40 feet in front or width and 153 feet 5 inches in depth, and being lot 66, in block 6 in the Fair View addition to said city.

No. 20—A lot in city block number 2278, west on Rutger street, being 35 feet and 8 inches in front or width, and 122 feet and 2 inches in depth, and being lot 3 in block 5 in Armstrong's addition to said city.

No. 21—A lot in city block number 2278, west on Rutger street, being 50 feet in front or width and 122 feet and 2 inches in depth, and being lot 4 in block 5 in Armstrong's addition to said city.

No. 22—A lot or tract of land on Motard avenue, consisting of 1 and 66-100 acres, and being lot 4 of city lot 21 in the City Commons, being bounded on the north and south by the real estate of one Willi, on the east by Motard avenue, and on the west by the city limits.

No. 23. A lot or tract of land on Motard avenue, consisting of 2 and 55-100 acres, and being lot 6 of city lot 21 in the City Commons, being bounded on the north by the real estate of one Willi, on the east by Motard avenue, on the south by Hall street, and on the west by the city limits.

No. 24. A lot or tract of land consisting of 1 and 30-100 acres, and being in the south part of the Cul de Sac, in survey number 3182, being bounded on the north by the real estate of one Willi, on the east by the city line, on the south by Hall street, and on the west by real estate in the Tiffany subdivision.

No. 25. A lot or tract of land, consisting of 85-100 of an acre and being in the south part of the Cul de Sac, in survey number 3182, being bounded on the north by the real estate of one Willi, on the east by the city line, on the south by the real estate of one Willi, and on the west by the real estate of the Tiffany subdivision.

No. 26. A lot on Front street, being 44 feet and 6 inches in front or width and 93 feet and 2 inches in depth, and being bounded on the north by the real estate of one Willi, on the east by Front street, on the south by Plum street, and on the west by Commercial street.

No. 27. The undivided one-half of a lot in city block number 1835, on Twenty-third street, being 383 feet in front or width and 127 feet and 6 inches in depth, being bounded on the north by the real estate of one Beahan, on the east by Twenty-third street, on the south by the real estate in survey 1478, and on the west by an alley.

No. 28. The undivided one-half of a lot in city block number 1835, on Twenty-fourth street, being 383 feet in front or width and 127 feet and 6 inches in depth, being bounded on the north by the real estate of one Root, on the east by an alley, on the south by survey number 1478, and on the west by Twenty-fourth street.

No. 29. The undivided one-half of a lot in city block number 1836 on Twenty-fourth street, being 385 feet in front or width, and 238 feet in depth, being bounded on the north by the real estate of one Benoist, on the east by Twenty-fourth street, on the south by survey number 1,478, and on the west by the real estate of President and Directors of the Board of Public Schools.

No. 30. The undivided one half of a lot on Third street, being 35 feet in front or width and 150 feet in depth, and being lot 1 in block 3 in Wilkinson's addition to said city.

No. 31. The undivided one half of ten lots on Third street, each being 25 feet in front or width and 150 feet in depth, and being lots 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12 respectively, in block 3 in Wilkinson's addition to said city.

No. 32. The undivided one half of eleven lots on Second street, each being 25 feet in front or width and 150 feet in depth, and being lots 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22 and 23 respectively, in block 3 in Wilkinson's addition to said city.

No. 33. The undivided one-half of a lot on Second street being 25 feet in front or width and 150 feet in depth, and being lot 24 in block 3 in Wilkinson's addition to said city.

And I will, on

THURSDAY, THE 14TH DAY OF APRIL, 1881,

between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell at public auction for cash, to the highest bidder, the above property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON, Sheriff, City of St. Louis, Mo.
St. Louis, Mo., March 19, 1881. 39K

Administrators' Notices.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT—In re estate of John R. Walker, deceased.—Notice is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of **John R. Walker**, deceased, that I, the undersigned Public Administrator in charge of said estate, intend to make a final settlement thereof at the next term of the Probate Court of the City of St. Louis, to be holden at the Court-house in said City on the first Monday in June, A. D. 1881.

MARTROM D. LEWIS, Public Administrator for the City of St. Louis. Office N. W. Cor. Sixth and Locust sts., Insurance Building.
St. Louis, Mo., March 19, 1881. 45K

LEGAL.

Sheriff's Sales.

SHERIFF'S SALE—By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the clerk of the Circuit Court at the City of St. Louis, returnable to the April term, 1881, of said court, and to me directed, wherein the State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of Myer A. Rosenblatt, Collector of the City of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, is plaintiff, and David H. Armstrong, National Bank of the State of Missouri, Edward P. Curtis and Walter S. Johnston are defendants,

I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the City of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the lien of tax bill on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

Number 1. The undivided half interest in a piece or parcel of land in city block 1835, having a front width of 385 feet on 24th street, by a length or depth of 127 feet and 6 inches, being bounded on the north by the real estate of one Root, on the east by an alley, on the south by survey 1478, and on the west by Twenty-fourth street.

Number 2. The undivided half interest in a piece or parcel of land in city block 1835, having a front width of 385 feet on Twenty-third street, by a length or depth of 127 feet and 6 inches, being bounded on the north by the real estate of one Beahan, on the east by Twenty-third street, on the south by survey 1478, and on the west by an alley.

Number 3. The undivided half interest in a piece or parcel of ground in city block 1836, having a front width of 385 feet on Twenty-fourth street, by a length or depth of 238 feet, and being bounded on the north by the real estate of one Benoist, on the east by Twenty-fourth street, on the south by survey 1478, and on the west by the real estate of the public schools.

Number 4. A piece or parcel of land in city block 1, having a front width of 44 feet and 6 inches on Front street, by a length or depth of 93 feet and 2 inches, and being bounded on the north by the real estate of one Brown, on the east by Front street, on the south by Plum street, and on the west by Commercial street.

Number 5. A piece or parcel of land in city block 241, having a front width of 62 feet on Second street, by a length or depth of 80 feet, and being bounded on the north by the real estate of one Shields, on the east by the real estate of one Benoist, on the south by Mullanphy street, and on the west by Second street.

Number 6. A piece or parcel of land in city block 265, having a front width of 42 feet on Eleventh street, by a length or depth of 103 feet, and being bounded on the north by the real estate of one Duggin, on the east by Eleventh street, on the south by the real estate of one Wolff, and on the west by an alley.

Number 7. Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9 in block 2, city block 878 south in Fairview addition, having each a front width of 25 feet on Sidney street, by a length or depth each of 140 feet.

Number 8. A piece or parcel of land in block east of 21, in city block 2179, containing 72-100 of an acre on Grand avenue in the City Commons, and being bounded on the north by the real estate of one Pope, and on the south by that of one Brown, on the east by Grand avenue, and on the west by Motard avenue.

Number 9. Lots 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64 and 65, in block 6, in city block 1408, in Fairview addition, having a front width each of 25 feet on Victor street, by a length or depth each of 153 feet and 5 inches.

Number ten (10.) Lot 66 in block 6, city block 1408, in Fairview addition, having a front width of 40 feet on Victor street, by a length or depth of 153 feet and 5 inches.

Number 11. A piece or parcel of land in block 20 in city block 2175, in City Commons, having a front width of 154 feet and 9 inches on Grand avenue, by a length or depth of 372 feet 3¼ inches, and bounded on the north by the real estate of one Conant, on the south by that of one Haywood, on the east by Carr Lane avenue, and on the west by Grand avenue.

Number 12. Lots 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36 and 37, in block 5, city block 1407, in Fairview addition, having each a front width of 25 feet on Sidney street, by a depth or length each of 153 feet and 5 inches.

Number 13. Lot 38 in block 5 in city block 1407, in Fairview addition, having a front width of 26 feet and 6 inches on Sidney street, by a length or depth of 153 feet and 5 inches.

Number 14. Lot 10 in block 2, in city block 878 south, in Fairview addition, having a front width of 35 feet and 3 inches on Sidney street, by a length or depth of 140 feet.

Number 15. Lots 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22 and 23, in block 3 in Wilkinson's addition, having each a front width of 25 feet on Second Street, by a length or depth each of 150 feet.

Number 16. Lot 24 in block 3 in Wilkinson's addition, having a front width of 35 feet on Second street, by a length or depth of 150 feet.

Number 17. Lots 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12 in block 3 in Wilkinson's addition, having each a front width of 25 feet on Third street, by a length or depth each of 150 feet.

Number 18. Lot 1 in block 3 in Wilkinson's addition, having a front width of 35 feet on Third street, by a length or depth of 150 feet.

Number 19. A piece or parcel of land in survey 3182, in the south point of Cul de Sac, containing one and 30-100 acres, and being bounded on the north by the real estate of one Brown, on the east by the city line, on the south by the Hull tract, and on the west by Tiffany subdivision.

Number 20. A piece or parcel of land in survey 3182, in the south point of Cul de Sac, containing 85-100 of an acre, and being bounded on the north and south by the real estate of one Brown, on the east by city line, and on the west by Tiffany subdivision.

Number 21. A piece or parcel of land in block 2 of 21, in city commons, containing one and 79-100 acres, on Chouteau avenue, and being bounded on the north by Chouteau avenue, on the east by Motard avenue, on the south by the real estate of one Street, and on the west by that of one Brown.

Number 22—A piece or parcel of land in block 4 of 21, in city commons, containing one and 66-100 acres on Motard avenue, and being bounded on the north and south by the real estate of one Brown, on the east by Motard avenue, and on the west by old city limits.

Number 23. A piece or parcel of land in block 6 of 21, in city commons, containing two and 55-100 acres on Motard avenue, and being bounded on the north by the real estate of one Brown, on the east by Motard avenue, on the south by Hull street, and on the west by the old city limits.

Number 24. A piece or parcel of land in Bacanne tract containing six and 60-100 acres, and being bounded on the north by Victor street, on the east by McNair avenue, on the south by Sidney street, and on the west by the real estate of one McNeil and others.

Number 25. Lots 2, 3 and 4, in city block 2269, in block 2 in Dillon's addition, having each a front width of 25 feet on Chouteau avenue, by a length or depth each of 117 feet and 2 inches.

Number 26. Lots 6, 7, 8, in block 2, city block 2269, in Dillon's addition, having each a front width of 25 feet on Armstrong avenue, by a depth or length of 100 feet each.

Number 27. Lot 3 in block 5, in city block 2278 west, in Armstrong's subdivision, having a front width of 35 feet and 8 inches on Rutger street, by a depth or length of 122 feet and 2 inches.

Number 28. Lot 4 in block 5, in city block 2278 west, in Armstrong's subdivision having a front width of 50 feet on Rutger street, by a depth or length of 122 feet and 2 inches.

And I will, on

THURSDAY, THE 14TH DAY OF APRIL, 1881,

between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the City of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON, Sheriff City St. Louis, Mo.
St. Louis, Mo., March 19, 1881. 35K

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of an execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the City of St. Louis, returnable to the April term, 1884, of said court, and to me directed, in favor of James Clark, and against the Martindale Zinc Company, I have levied upon and seized all the right, title and interest of the defendant, said Martindale Zinc Company, in and to the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and described as follows, to-wit:

The following described real estate with all the improvements thereon, to-wit: The southern portion of the lot known and designated on the plat or survey of the old town of Carondelet as lot letter "A," now known as block No. 3010 of the city of St. Louis, said southern portion of lot letter "A" containing a front of one hundred and fifty (150) feet more or less on the east line of First Water street, by a depth eastwardly of the same width, parallel with and along the north line of Randolph street to the Mississippi River, being bounded northwardly by lot owned or claimed by Jellinger and Joppi, eastwardly by the Mississippi River, southwardly by Randolph street, and westwardly by First Water street.

Also the following described piece of land situated in the then county, now city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, being the southeast quarter of block number eighteen (18) in Eiler's survey of the former city of Carondelet, now known as block No. 3011 of the city of St. Louis, said piece of ground containing a front of one hundred and fifty (150) feet and five (5) inches on the west line of First Water street, and running westwardly of equal width parallel with and along Randolph street one hundred and twenty-two feet and eleven inches to the St. Louis Iron Mountain Railroad, being bounded north by lot owned by John H. Martindale, east by said Water street, south by Randolph street and west by the St. Louis and Iron Mountain Railroad track.

And I will, on

WEDNESDAY, THE 6TH DAY OF APRIL, 1881,

between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell at public auction, for cash to the highest bidder, all the right, title, interest, claim, estate and property of the aboved named Martindale Zinc Company, said defendant, of, in and to the above described property, to satisfy said execution and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON, Sheriff City of St. Louis.
St. Louis, Mo., March 12, 1881. 52J

SHERIFF'S SALE—By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the City of St. Louis, returnable to the April term, 1881, of said court, and to me directed, wherein the State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of Myer A. Rosenblatt, Collector of the City of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, is plaintiff, and Harriett Gleason, Sarah Gleason and Mary Gleason, and M. B. Jonas, guardian ad litem for said Mary Gleason, a minor, are defendants,

I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the City of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the lien of tax bill on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

Lot No. 30, block 2, East Union addition to the city of St. Louis, said lot being in city block 1134, fronting 24 feet 6 inches on University street, by 113 feet 10 inches in depth.

And I will, on

SATURDAY, THE 9TH DAY OF APRIL, 1881,

between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the City of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, or so much thereof, as will satisfy said execution and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON, Sheriff of the city of St. Louis.
St. Louis, Mo., March 16, 1881. 95J

LEGAL.

Sheriff's Sales.

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court at the City of St. Louis, returnable to the April term, 1881, of said Court, and to me directed, wherein the State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of Myer A. Rosenblatt, Collector of the City of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, is plaintiff, and Celestine Guion, Bartholomew Guion; her husband, J. Ambrose Pourceley, Mary A. Pourceley, a minor, Francis Poupeney, Jr., guardian, and M. B. Jonas, guardian ad litem for said Mary A. Pourceley, a minor, are defendants, I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the City of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the lien of tax bill, on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

1.—Lot No. 32 of block No. 1 of block No. 11 of Hilgeabarg's subdivision of survey No. 2, said lot also being in city block No. 3,034 of the City of St. Louis, and fronting 25 feet on Sixth street by a depth of 114 feet.

2.—Lot No. 31 of block No. 1 of block No. 11 of Hilgeabarg's subdivision of survey No. 2, said lot also being in city block No. 3,034 of the City of St. Louis, and fronting 25 feet on Sixth street by a depth of 114 feet.

And I will, on

TUESDAY, THE 5TH DAY OF APRIL, 1881,

between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the City of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff, City St. Louis, Mo.

St. Louis, Mo., March 9, 1881. 31J

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court at the City of St. Louis, returnable to the April term, 1881, of said Court, and to me directed, wherein the State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of Myer A. Rosenblatt, Collector of the City of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, is plaintiff, and James M. Ming and N. D. Allen are defendants,

I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the City of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the lien of tax bill on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

Number 1.—A lot on Rappahannock street, being 25 feet in front or width and 155 feet and 4 inches in depth, and being known as lot 64 in block 16 of Labadie and Lynch's addition to said city.

Number 2.—Six lots on Rappahannock street, each being 25 feet in front or width and 155 feet and 4 inches in depth, and being known as lots 65, 66, 67, 68, 69 and 70, respectively, in block 16 of Labadie and Lynch's addition to said city.

And I will, on

TUESDAY, THE 5TH DAY OF APRIL, 1881,

between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the City of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON.
Sheriff, City St. Louis, Mo.

St. Louis, Mo., March 9, 1881. 30J

SHERIFF'S SALE—By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court at the city of St. Louis, returnable to the April Term, 1881, of said Court, and to me directed, wherein the State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of Myer A. Rosenblatt, Collector of the city of St. Louis in the State of Missouri, is plaintiff, and unknown heirs of Adolph Andres, Henry B. Belt, Wm. P. Keating, are defendants,

I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the lien of tax bill on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

Lot number 9 in block number 3 of Wash's third addition to said city of St. Louis, said lot having a front of 50 feet on Boston street by a depth of 139 feet 6 inches.

And I will on

TUESDAY, THE 5TH DAY OF APRIL, 1881,

between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff, City St. Louis, Mo.

St. Louis, Mo., March 9, 1881. 29J

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of a general and special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the City of St. Louis, returnable to the April term, 1881, of said court, and to me directed, wherein the State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of Myer A. Rosenblatt, Collector of the city of St. Louis in the State of Missouri, is plaintiff, and Upton Boyce, trustee of Sarah G. Wright, deceased, and the unknown heirs of said Sarah G. Wright, deceased, Bertha Bolzenthal and Nathan D. Allen are defendants,

I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the lien of tax bill, on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

Lots numbered 9 and 10 in block 1763 of said city, in block "A" of Marine Valley addition, each of said lots having 25 feet front on Marine avenue by a depth of 140 feet.

And I will on

TUESDAY, THE 5TH DAY OF APRIL 1881,

between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of thatday, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell at public auction for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff, City St. Louis, Mo.

St. Louis, Mo., March 9, 1881. 28J

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court at the city of St. Louis, returnable to the April Term, 1881, of said court, and to me directed, wherein the State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of Myer A. Rosenblatt, Collector of the city of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, is plaintiff, and Mary E. Clark, R. R. Honeyman, Elizabeth Honeyman, Wm. H. Scudder, James L. Pearce are defendants,

I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the lien of tax bill on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

Lot 6, block 1, city block 454, east, having a front of 160 feet on Papin street by a depth or length of 150 feet six inches, and being in addition of St. Mary's subdivision.

And I will, on

TUESDAY, THE FIFTH DAY OF APRIL, 1881,

between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, he above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff of the City of St. Louis.

St. Louis, Mo., March 9, 1881. 27J

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court at the city of St. Louis, returnable to the April term, 1881, of said Court, and to me directed, wherein the State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of Myer A. Rosenblatt, Collector of the city of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, is plaintiff, and August Kreidler is defendant,

I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the lien of tax bill on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

Number 1—A lot of ground on Arsenal street in city block 1472, 25 feet in front or width, and 125 feet in length or depth, being lot 1 in block 2, in the City Commons.

Number 2—A lot of ground on Arsenal street in city block 1472, 25 feet in front or width and 131 feet and 2 inches in length or depth, being lot 2 in block 2 in the city Commons.

And I will, on

TUESDAY, THE 5TH DAY OF APRIL, 1881,

between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the City of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff of the City of St. Louis.

St. Louis, Mo., March 9, 1881. 26J

SHERIFF'S SALE—By virtue and authority of two executions issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the city of St. Louis, returnable to the April term, 1881, of said court, and to me directed, one of said executions is in favor of Marcus A. Wolff and the other is in favor of M. D. Lewis, executor of William H. Tilford, deceased, and both of said executions are against Theodore P. Green; I have levied upon and seized all the right, title and interest of the defendant Theodore P. Green in and to the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and described as follows, to-wit:

1st. A certain lot or parcel of land in block 82, of the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, commencing on the northwest corner of Third and Elm streets; thence westwardly 99 feet 2 inches along Elm street; thence northwardly 124 feet parallel with Third street; thence eastwardly parallel with Elm street 37 feet 6 inches; thence northwardly parallel with Third street 22 feet; thence eastwardly parallel with Elm street 61 feet 8 inches to Third street, and thence northwardly 106 feet to the place of beginning, and having thereon what is known as Washington Hall and other improvements.

2nd. A certain parcel of land in city of St. Louis, fronting 180 feet 10½ inches on east side of Carondelet avenue, and of that width running back to the Mississippi River, save and except a parcel which has a front of 225 feet 7 inches on east line of Third street, sold by said Green to one Bruns, and also those parts condemned for opening of Third and Fourth streets, the whole of said parcel being bounded west by Carondelet avenue, south by a street separating it from Lyon Park and United States avenue, north by Silas Bent and east by the river.

And I will, on

TUESDAY, THE FIFTH DAY OF APRIL, 1881,

between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, all the right, title, interest, claim, estate and property of the above named Theodore P. Green, said defendant, of, in and to the above described property, to satisfy said executions and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff of the City of St. Louis.

St. Louis, Mo., March 9, 1881. 34J

LEGAL.

Sheriff's Sales.

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court at the city of St. Louis, returnable to the April term, 1881, of said court and to me directed, wherein the State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of Myer A. Rosenblatt, Collector of the City of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, is plaintiff, and Josephine Daniels, James A. Daniels, Virginia Dean and Frank Dean are defendants, I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the City of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the lien of tax bill on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

Number one: A lot in city block number 529 on Fourteenth street, being 18 feet in front or width and 62 feet in depth; and being bounded on the north by the real estate of one Colgan; on the east by the real estate of one Mathews; on the south by the real estate of one O'Reilly, and on the west by Fourteenth street.

Number two: A lot in city block number 41 on Second street, being 40 feet in front or width, and 150 feet in depth; and being bounded on the north by the real estate of one Bollinger; on the east by an alley; on the south by the real estate of one Schultz, and on the west by Second street.

And I will, on

TUESDAY, THE FIFTH DAY OF APRIL, 1881,

between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the City of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell, at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff, City St. Louis, Mo.

St. Louis, Mo., March 9 1881. 36J

SHERIFF' SALE.—By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court at the City of St. Louis, returnable to the April term, 1881, of said court, and to me directed, wherein the State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of Myer A. Rosenblatt, collector of the city of St. Louis in the State of Missouri, is plaintiff, and William C. Jamison is defendant,

I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the lien of tax bill on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

Number 1—A lot of ground on Second street, in city block 683, 41 feet in front or width and 93 feet 3 inches in length or depth, being lot 9 in Lindell estate addition to said city.

Number 2—A lot of groundon Main street in city block 688, 42 feet 3 inches in front or width and 93 feet 3 inches in length or depth, being lot 15 in Lindell estate addition to said city.

Number 3—A lot of ground on Collins street in city block 689, —in front or width 38 feet 10 inches in the one part and 33 feet 10 inches in the other part, and 180 feet in length or depth, being lot 3 in Peter Lindell's estate addition to said city.

And I will, on

TUESDAY, THE 12TH DAY OF APRIL, 1881,

between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff City St. Louis, Mo.

St. Louis, Mo., March 18, 1881. 26K

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of a general and special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the city of St. Louis, returnable to the April term, 1881, of said Court, and to me directed, in favor of John M. Bauer, receiver of the South St. Louis Mutual Fire and Marine Insurance Company to the use of A. R. Newcomb, assignee, and against John Meise.

I have levied upon and seized the following described buildings and real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit: The buildings and real estate in plaintiff's petition described as follows, to-wit:

A double two-story brick building and a two-story brick building connected with porches, one-story brick building, brick smoke-house and stable, gravel roof, situated on lot No. 14 of block No. 18, of Allen's Addition, being city block 667 of the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, described as follows: Commencing at a point in the north line of Allen avenue, 75 feet eastwardly from the intersection of the east line of Menard street and the north line of Allen avenue, and running thence northwardly and parallel with Menard street 140 feet to an alley twenty feet wide, thence eastwardly along the south line of said alley 30 feet, thence southwardly and parallel with Buell street 140 feet to Allen avenue, thence westwardly and along the north line of Allen avenue thirty feet to the beginning.

And I will on,

TUESDAY, THE FIFTH DAY OF APRIL, 1881,

between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the cityof St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, to satisfy said execution and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff of the city of St. Louis.

St. Louis, Mo., March 9, 1881. 35J

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court at the City of St. Louis, returnable to the April Term, 1881, of said Court, and to me directed, wherein the State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of Myer A. Rosenblatt, Collector of the City of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, is plaintiff, and Catharine Nieman, Dorothe Nieman, Margaretha Nieman, Therese Elbreder and George Elbreder are defendants, I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the lien of tax bill, on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

1. A lot in city block No. 1619, fronting 30 feet on Chippewa street by 600 feet deep, bounded north by land of Self, east by land of Reisse and others, south by Chippewa street and west by land of Bocka.

2. A lot in city block No. 1 619, fronting 30 feet on Chippewa street by 600 feet deep, bounded north by land of Self, east by land of Betts, south by Chippewa street and west by land of Reisse and others.

3. A lot in city block No. 1619, fronting 30 feet on proposed Compton avenue, and having a depth of 330 feet, bounded north by proposed Winnebago street, east by land of Betts, south by land of Nieman and others, west by land of Bocka.

And I will, on

SATURDAY, THE 9TH DAY OF APRIL, 1881,

between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff, City St. Louis, Mo.

St. Louis, Mo., March 16, 1881.

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of a special execution and decree issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the City of St. Louis, returnable to the June term, 1881, of said court, and to me directed, wherein Robert M. Bevin, James T. Bevin, Mary Alice Bevin, Eliza A. Jackson, formerly Eliza A. Bevin, and wife of Robert A. Jackson, and Robert A. Jackson, heirs of Wm. T. Bevin, deceased, are plaintiffs, and Robert W. Powell, John F. Lee, Jr., and Thomas Ward McManus, are defendants, I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, and all the right, title and interest of the plaintiffs therein, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with lien herein, and described in said exeution as follows, to-wit:

A certain piece or parcel of land situate in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, beginning at a point on the south front line of Chestnut street, distant eastwardly one hundred and sixty-nine (169) feet from the intersection of said south line with the east line of Twenty-first street, thence westwardly along said south line fifty-six (56) feet and four (4) inches, thence southwardly and parallel with Twenty-first street seventy-three (73) feet and five and one-half (5½) inches to an alley, thence eastwardly along the north line of said alley fifty-six (56) feet and four (4) inches, thence northwardly with the same parallel as before seventy-three (73) feet and five and one-half (5½) inches to the point of beginning; bounded on the north by Chestnut street, on the south by said alley, on the east by property lately belonging to James H. Lucas, deceased, and on the west by Chas. H. Turner.

And I will, on

FRIDAY, THE 22D DAY OF APRIL, 1881,

between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, and all of said plaintiffs' interest therein, charged with said lien herein, to satisfy said execution and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff of the City of St. Louis.

St. Louis, Mo., March 29, 1881. 95L

Assignees' Notices.

ASSIGNEE'S FINAL SALE of real estate and accounts to close estate. In the matter of the assignment of William Sullivan & Co. In the Circuit Court, City of St. Louis, Room 5. No. 420.

By order of the Circuit Court, City of St. Louis, the undersigned assignee hereby gives notice that he will, for the purpose of winding up said estate, sell, first, the following real estate, viz: A lot of ground situated in the city of St. Louis, described as follows, to-wit: Beginning one hundred feet from the northeast corner of block number two (2) of Dudley Place subdivision to the city of St. Louis; thence running west fifty (50) feet on Sherman street; thence south and parallel to the eastern boundary of Dudley place one hundred and seventeen 6-12 feet (117 6-12 ft) to an alley fifteen feet (15 ft) wide; thence east along the line of said alley fifty (50) feet; thence north one hundred and seventeen and 6-12 feet (117 6-12 ft) to the place of beginning; being the same premises acquired by said William Sullivan & Co. by deed from Edwin O. Stanard, dated the 13th day of September, A. D. 1876, and recorded in the office of the Recorder of Deeds for the city of St. Louis, in book 561, page 269.

2d. And he will, at the same time and place below named, sell a number of uncollected accounts against sundry persons belonging to the said estate.

Said sale of real estate and accounts will be at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, at the east front door of the Court-house in the city of St. Louis on

TUESDAY, THE 12TH DAY OF APRIL, A. D. 1881,

between the hours of 9 o'clock a. m. and 5 o'clock p. m. of that day.

A list of the accounts to be sold may be seen at the office of Klein & Fisse, rooms 5, 6 and 7, No. 506 Olive street, or on application to the undersigned.

DANIEL O. BUTTERFIELD,
Assignee of Wm. Sullivan & Co.

KLEIN & FISSE, Attorneys.
St. Louis, March 24, 1881. 0L

LEGAL.

Sheriff's Sales.

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court at the city of St. Louis, returnable to the April term, 1881, of said court, and to me directed, wherein the State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of Myer A. Rosenblatt, Collector of the city of St. Louis in the State of Missouri is plaintiff, and David H. Armstrong, Edward P. Curtis, trustee, National Bank of the State of Missouri, a corporation, Hiram W. Leffingwell, Charles L. Hunt, trustee, John J. Murdock, Francis Ringling, Albert Todd, trustee, Gerard B. Allen trustee, James H. Britton, city of St. Louis, a municipal corporation, Walter S. Johnston, receiver, et al., are defendants, I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the lien of tax bill, on which this action is founded and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

No. 1. Lots 36 and 37 in block 5 and city block number 1407, having a front width each of 25 feet on Sidney street by a length or depth each of 153 feet and 5 inches, and being in addition or survey of the continuation of Fairview.

No. 2. Lot 38 in block 5 and in city block number 1407, having a front width of 26 feet on Sidney street by a length or depth of 153 feet and 5 inches, and being in addition or survey of the continuation of Fairview.

No. 3. Lots 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, and 58 in block 6 and in city block number 1408, having a front width each of 25 feet on Victor street by a length or depth each of 153 feet and 5 inches, and being in the addition or survey of the continuation of Fairview.

No. 4. Lot 59 in block 6 and in city block number 1408, having a front width of 25 feet on Victor street by a length or depth of 153 feet and 5 inches, and being in the addition or survey of the continuation of Fairview.

No. 5. Lots 60 and 61 in block 6 and in city block number 1408, having a front width each of 25 feet on Victor street by a length or depth each of 153 feet and 5 inches, and being in the addition or survey of the continuation of Fairview.

Number 6. Lot 10 in block 4 and in city block number 878 south, having a front width of 35 feet and 8 inches on Sidney street by a length or depth of 140 feet and being in the addition or survey of the continuation of Fairview.

Number 7. Lots 25, 26, 27, 28 and 29 in block 5 and in city block number 1407 having a front width of 25 feet each on Sidney street, by a length or depth each of 153 feet and 5 inches, and being in the addition or survey of the continuation of Fairview.

Number 8. Lot 30 in block 5 and in city block number 1407, having a front width of 25 feet on Sidney street, by a length or depth 153 feet and 5 inches and being in the survey or addition of the continuation of Fairview.

No. 9. Lots 31, 32, 33, 34 and 35 in block 5 and in city block No. 1407, having a front width each of 25 feet on Sidney street by a length or depth each of 153 feet and 5 inches, and being in the addition or survey of the continuation of Fairview.

No. 10. A lot or piece of land in city block number 1, having a front width of 44 feet and 6 inches on Front street, by a length or depth of 93 feet and 2 inches, and being bounded as follows, to-wit: On the north by the real estate of Welli, on the east by Front street, on the south by Plum street and on the west by Commercial street.

No. 11. A lot or piece of land in city block number 241, having a front width of 62 feet on Second street by a length or depth of 80 feet, and being bounded as follows, to-wit: On the north and on the east by the real estate of Benoist, on the south by Mullanphy street and on the west by Second street.

Number 12.—A lot or piece of land in city block number 265, having a front width of 42 feet on Eleventh street by a length or depth of 103 feet, and being bounded as follows, to-wit: On the north by the real estate of Duggan, on the east by Eleventh street, on the south by the real estate of Wolff and on the west by an alley.

Number 13.—Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9 in block 4 and in city block number 878 south, having a front width each of 25 feet on Sidney street by a length or depth each of 140 feet, and being in the addition or survey of the continuation of Fairview.

Number 14.—Lots 62, 63, 64 and 65 in block 6 and in city block number 1,408, having a front width each of 25 feet on Victor street by a length or depth each of 153 feet and 5 inches, and being in the addition or survey of the continuation of Fairview.

Number 15.—Lot 66 in block 6 and in city block number 1408, having a front width of 40 feet on Victor street by a length or depth of 153 feet and 5 inches and being in the addition or survey of the continuation of Fairview.

Number 16—A lot or piece of land in block 20 and in city block number 2,175, containing 1 acre and 32-100 of an acre on Grand avenue, being in the addition or survey of city commons, and being bounded as follows, to-wit: On the north by the real estate of Conant, on the east by Carr Lane avenue, on the south by the real estate of Haywood and on the west by Grand avenue.

No. 17. A lot or piece of land in block 21, being 8 of 21, and in city block number 2179, containing 72-100 of an acre on Grand avenue, and being in the addition or survey of city commons, and being bounded as follows, to-wit: On the north by the real estate of Pope, on the east by Grand avenue, on the south by the real estate of Willi and on the west by Motard avenue.

Number 18. Lots 2 and 3 in block 2, and in city block number 2269, having a front width each of 25 feet on Chouteau avenue by a length or depth each of 117 feet and 2 inches, and being in Dillon's addition or survey.

Number 19. Lot 4 in block 2, and in city block number 2269, having a front width of 25 feet on Chouteau avenue by a length or depth of 117 feet and 2 inches, and being in Dillon's addition or survey.

Number 20. Lots 6, 7 and 8 in block 2, and in city block number 2269, having a front width each of 25 feet on Armstrong avenue by a length or depth each of 100 feet, and being in Dillon's addition or survey.

Number 25.—Lot 3 in block 5 and in city block number 2278 west, having a front width of 35 feet and 8 inches on Rutger street by a length or depth of 122 feet and 2 inches and being in the addition or survey of Armstrong subdivision.

Number 26—Lot 4 in block 5 and in city block number 2278 west, having a front width of 50 feet on Rutger street, by a length or depth of 122 feet and 2 inches, and being in the addition or survey of Armstrong subdivision.

Number 27.—A lot or piece of land in block 21, being 2 of 21, containing 1 acre and 79-100 of an acre, on Chouteau avenue, and being in the addition or survey City Commons, and being bounded as follows, to-wit: On the north by Chouteau avenue, on the east by Motard avenue, on the south by a street and on the west by the real estate of Brown.

Number 28—A lot in block 21, being 4 of 21, containing 1 acre and 66-100 of an acre on Motard avenue, and being in the addition or survey of City Commons, and being bounded as follows, to-wit: On the north and on the south by the real estate of Brown, on the east by Motard avenue and on the west by city limits.

Number 29—A lot in block 21, being 6 of 21 containing 2 acres and 55-100 of an acre, on Motard avenue, and being in the addition or survey of City Commons, and being bounded as follows, to-wit: On the north by the real estate of Brown, on the east by Motard avenue, on the south by Hall street and on the west by city limits.

Number 30. A lot or piece of land containing 6 acres and 60-100 of an acre on Victor street, and being in the addition or survey of the Bacanne tract, and being bounded as follows, to-wit: On the north by Victor street, on the east by McNair avenue, on the south by Sidney street, and on the west by the real estate of McNiel and others.

Number 31. The undivided half of lot 1 in block 3 having a front width of 35 feet on Third street, by a length or depth of 150 feet and being in Wilkinson's addition or survey.

Number 32. The undivided half of lots 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, having a front width each of 25 feet on Third street by a length or depth each of 150 feet, and being in Wilkinson's addition or survey.

No. 33. The undivided half of lots 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22 and 23, in block 3, having a front width each of 25 feet on Second street by a length or depth each of 150 feet, and being in Wilkinson's addition or survey.

No. 34. The undivided half of lot 24, in block 3, having a front width of 35 feet on Second street by a length or depth of 150 feet and being in Wilkinson's addition or survey.

No. 35. The undivided half of a lot or parcel of land in city block No. 1835, having a front width of 385 feet on Twenty-fourth street by a length or depth of 127 feet and 6 inches, and being bounded as follows, to-wit: On the north by the real estate of Root, on the east by an alley, on the south by survey 1478 and on the west by Twenty-fourth street.

No. 36. The undivided half of a lot or piece of land in city block number 1835, having a front width of 385 feet on Twenty-third street, by a length or depth of 127 feet and six inches, and being bounded as follows, to-wit: on the north by the real estate of Beahan, on the east by Twenty-third street, on the south by survey 1478, and on the west by an alley.

No. 37. The undivided half of a lot or piece of land in city block number 1835, having a front width of 385 feet on Twenty-fourth street by a length or depth of 238 feet, and being bounded as follows, to-wit: On the north by the real estate of Benoist, on the east by Twenty-fourth street, on the south by survey 1478 and on the west by the real estate of the Public Schools.

No. 38. A lot or piece of land in survey 3182, containing 1 acre and 30-100 of an acre, and being in the addition or survey of the south part of Cul de Sac, and being bounded as follows, to-wit: On the north by the real estate of Willi, on the east by the city limits, on the south by Hall street and on the west by the Tiffany subdivision.

No. 39. A lot or piece of land in survey 3182, containing 85-100 of an acre, and being in the addition or survey of the south part of Cul de Sac, and being bounded as follows, to-wit: On the north and on the south by the real estate of Willi, on the east by the city limits and on the west by the Tiffany subdivision.

And I will, on

THURSDAY, THE 14TH DAY OF APRIL, 1881,

between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house in the City of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff City St. Louis, Mo.

St. Louis, Mo., March 19, 1881. 37K

Assignees' Notices.

ASSIGNEE'S SALE.—In the matter of the assignment of S. J. Signor & Co.—In accordance with an order of the Circuit Court the undersigned offers for sale the entire stock of goods in store No. 414 North Second street, consisting of teas, cigars, tobacco, spices, starch, soap, spice mixtures and a large assortment of spice and B. P. cans.

Also the engine, boiler, coffee roaster and the complete outfit of a spice mill, office and store fixtures, safes, horse, wagon and harness, all lately owned by S. J. Signor, doing business under firm name of S. J. Signor & Co.

For particulars apply to the undersigned on the premises.

JOHN F. GRADY,
Assignee of S. J. Signor & Co., 414 North Second street. 99L

SALE OF STOCKS.—On Monday, the 4th day of April, A. D., 1881, at 12 o'clock, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, I will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, the following described stocks, held as collateral, to-wit: Seven shares of Carondelet Druids' Hall Association. Terms cash.

CAROLINE OSTERKAMP.
F. NOUL, Agent.

LEGAL.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.—Whereas Charles M. Geyer and Hester Louise Geyer his wife, by their certain deed of trust dated 27th day of July, A. D., 1874, and recorded in book 507, page 198, of the Recorder's office of the City of St. Louis, Mo., conveyed to the undersigned the following described parcel of land situated in the county of St. Louis, Missouri, to-wit: A part of lot number nine (9) of Hull's sub division of U. S. survey No. 1591, having a front of twenty-five feet (25) on the south line of Moore street, by a depth southwardly of one hundred and nineteen feet six inches (119 ft. 6 in.), beginning at a point in the southern line of Moore street fifty feet west of the northwest corner of lot No. 8 of said subdivision, thence west along the south line of Moore street twenty-five feet (25), thence south on a line parallel with the west line of said lot No. 8 one hundred and nineteen feet and six inches (119 ft. 6 in.) thence east and parallel with Moore street twenty-five feet (25 ft.), thence northwardly one hundred and nineteen feet six inches (119 ft. 6 in.) to beginning: which said conveyance to the undersigned was made in trust to secure the payment of certain notes in said deed of trust described; and whereas several of said notes have become due and remain unpaid: Now, therefore, at the request of the legal holder of said notes and in pursuance of the conditions in said deed of trust, the undersigned will, on

THURSDAY, THE 14TH DAY OF APRIL, 1881,

between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 5 o'clock p. m. of said day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in said city of St. Louis, Mo., sell the above described real estate at public vendue, to the highest bidder, for cash, for the purposes of satisfying said notes and the expenses of executing this trust.

HENRY PHILLIPS,
Trustee

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TRUSTEE'S SALE.—Whereas, by deed dated April 20, 1870, and recorded in book 398, page 493, in the Recorder's office of the then county (now city) of St. Louis, State of Missouri, Clayton S. Fisher and Mary F. Fisher, his wife, conveyed to the undersigned, as trustee, the following described real estate in the county of St. Louis and State of Missouri, to-wit:

Lot No. 9 of a subdivision called Hartwood, containing 2 74-100 acres, with the buildings and improvements and the furniture contained in the residence on said lot, in trust to secure the payment of certain promissory notes in said deed described.

And, whereas, all of said notes are now due and unpaid, now, therefore, in pursuance of said deed of trust and at the request of the legal holder of said notes, I will, on

MONDAY, THE 2D DAY OF MAY, A. D. 1881,

between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m., at the Court-house door in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, proceed to sell at public vendue, to the highest bidder, for cash, the said property for the purposes of said trust.

THOMAS C. WALSH,
Trustee.

St. Louis, March 26, 1881. 75L

TRUSTEE'S SALE.—Pursuant to the provisions and for the purposes of a deed of trust dated September 30, 1876, of record in book 559, page 111, of the Recorder's office, at St. Louis, State of Missouri, executed by John Wilking and Hermine, his wife, the undersigned as trustee, will, on

THURSDAY THE 7TH DAY OF APRIL, 1881,

between the hours of 12 o'clock noon and 5 o'clock in the afternoon, at the east front of the Court House, in the city of St. Louis, Mo., sell at public vendue, to the highest bidder, for cash, the following described tract of land, situated in the county of St. Louis, State of Missouri, to-wit:

Lot No. 6 of a subdivision of a tract of land in United States Survey 166, townships 47 and 48 N., R. 6 east, containing 47 55-100 acres, as per plat of record in vol. 7, page 306, County Surveyor's records, in said Recorder's office, being a subdivision of lands of Reuben Musick's estate.

HENRY SCHIELER,
Trustee.

St. Louis, March 17, 1881. 1K

TRUSTEE'S SALE.—Whereas by deed dated the 8th day of August, 1871, Abraham McPike conveyed to the undersigned, said deed being recorded in the Recorder's office of the county (now city) of St. Louis, in book 431, page 8?, as trustee the following described land in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, to-wit: Lots number six (6) and seven (7) in block number thirty-eight (38) of Farrar's addition to the city of St. Louis, said lots containing a front of fifty-two feet and six inches (52 ft. 6 in.) on the south side of Farrar street by a depth of one hundred and seventy feet six inches (170 ft. 6 in.) to a twenty foot alley, said lots commencing one hundred and fifty-five feet (155) from the southwest corner of block number thirty-eight (38), and running east along said Farrar street fifty-two feet and six inches to secure the payment of certain notes in said deed described, and the principal note thereof is overdue and unpaid; now at the request of the holder thereof, I, said trustee, will proceed to sell said property by public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, at the east front door of the Court-house in the city of St. Louis, between the hours of ten o'clock a. m. and four o'clock p. m., on

TUESDAY, THE 26TH DAY OF APRIL, 1881,

for the purposes of said trust.

ANDREW W. MEAD,
Trustee.

8N

WHEREAS, Henry E. Clark and Josephine L. Clark, his wife, by their deed of trust dated the 21st day of May, 1879, and recorded in the office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for the county of Dunklin, Mo., in book one, at pages 69 and following, did grant, bargain and sell and convey and confirm unto the undersigned the following described land, lying, being and situate in said county and State, and more particularly known by the United States survey as section twenty-four (24), in township seventeen north, range seven (7) east of the 5th P. M., containing, according to said survey, six hundred and forty acres, and the northwest quarter of section thirty-four (34), township seventeen (17) north, range seven (7) east of 5th P. M., containing one hundred and sixty acres, making in all eight hundred acres, to have and to hold in trust, however, for the purpose of securing the payment of certain promissory notes therein mentioned, now past due and unpaid. Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that pursuant to the power conferred on me by said deed, I will proceed to sell said property at public vendue, to the highest bidder, at the east front door of the Court-house in the city of St. Louis, Missouri, for cash, on

SATURDAY, THE 23D DAY OF APRIL, 1881,

for the purposes of said trust.

J. W. SUTHERLAND,
Trustee.

St. Louis, Mo., March 31, 1881. 7N

Sheriff's Sales.

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of an execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the City of St. Louis, returnable to the April term, 1881, of said Court, and to me directed, in favor of Louis Bosse, Jr., and against William P. Macklin,

I have levied upon and seized all the right, title and interest of the defendant, Wm. P. Macklin, in and to the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and described as follows, to-wit:

Lot 3, and part of lots 2 and 4, in city block 2329, in subdivision of block of F. Sarpy's tract, by J. A. & J. P. Eddy, commencing at a point on the northern line of Exchange street, 22 feet 1 inch west of West Eighteenth street, thence north parallel with West Eighteenth street 107 feet 6 inches, thence west parallel with Exchange street 31 feet, thence south parallel with West Eighteenth street 107 feet 6 inches to the north line of Exchange street, thence east on said north line of Exchange street to place of beginning.

And I will, on

FRIDAY, THE 22D DAY OF APRIL, 1881,

between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, all the right, title, interest, claim, estate and property of the above named William P. Macklin, said defendant, of, in and to the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff of the City of St. Louis.

St. Louis, Missouri, March 29, 1881. 91L

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court at the City of St. Louis, returnable to the April term, 1881, of said Court, and to me directed, wherein the State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of Myer A. Rosenblatt, Collector of the City of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, is plaintiff, and Charles E. Bradly, Huntington Smith and Anna Hartman are defendants,

I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the City of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the lien of tax bill on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

A lot of ground in city block 850 on Seventh street, 39 feet and 11 inches in front or width in the one part and 17 feet and 10 inches in front or width in the other part, and 203 feet in depth, being lot 1 in Labadie's addition to said city, and bounded as follows: On the north by the realty of one Booth, on the east by an alley, on the south by the realty of one Burns, and the west by Seventh street.

And I will, on

TUESDAY, THE 5TH DAY OF APRIL, 1881,

between the hours of 9 o'clock in the forenoon and 5 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the City of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff, City St. Louis, Mo.

St. Louis, Mo., March 9, 1881. 32J

SHERIFF'S SALE—By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court at the city of St. Louis, returnable to the April Term, 1881, of said Court, and to me directed, wherein the State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of Myer A. Rosenblatt, Collector of the city of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, is plaintiff, and the Pilot Knob Iron Company, Benj. F. Webster, F. G. Flanagan, J. Constant, Amelia Chartrand, Michael Chartrand, Louis F. Chartrand, G. Eyerman, August Eyerman, W. D. Griswold, Huntington Smith, are defendants,

I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the lien of tax bill on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

A part of block number 9, Eller's subdivision of city block No. 2921, fronting 80 4-12 feet on Main street by a depth of 121 feet: bounded north by land of Squire, east by Iron Mountain Railroad, south by land of Perrier and west by Main street.

And I will on

TUESDAY, THE 5TH DAY OF APRIL, 1881,

between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff, City St. Louis, Mo.

St. Louis, Mo., March 9, 1881. 33J

LEGAL.

Trustees' Sales.

WHEREAS, Philip Kosterer and Mari, his wife, by their certain deed of trust, dated the 7th day of September, 1873, and recorded in the Recorder's office of the city of St. Louis, Missouri, in book 606, page 253, conveyed to the undersigned the following described real estate, situated in said city of St. Louis, to-wit:

A leasehold interest in and to a certain lot of ground, containing sixty-five (65) feet front on the east side of Decatur street, and running eastwardly with the same width one hundred and forty (140) feet to an alley 20 feet wide; the same being composed of lots numbered ten (10), nine (9), and (5) feet off of the south side of lot numbered eight (8) in block number eighty-one (81) of Julia C. Soulard's second addition (city block number 379); which conveyance was made in trust to secure the payment of certain promissory notes in said deed of trust described; and whereas the principal one of said notes is now past due and unpaid, now, therefore, at the request of the legal holder of said notes and under the provisions of said deed of trust, I, the undersigned trustee, will offer said property for sale at public vendue to the highest bidder, for cash, at the east front door of the Court-House, in said city of St. Louis, Missouri, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. of

WEDNESDAY, THE 6TH DAY OF APRIL, 1881,

for the purpose of satisfying said notes and the costs of executing this trust.

FRITZ WAHL,
Trustee.

St. Louis, Mo., March 12, 1881. 72J

WHEREAS, Anton Bamberg and Barbara, his wife, by their deed of trust dated the eighth day of June, 1869, and recorded in the office of the Recorder of Deeds in the city of St. Louis, in book 386, page 234, conveyed to the undersigned as trustee the following described real estate, to-wit: Lot numbered thirty-three (33) in city block numbered fifteen hundred and six (1506) of the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, having a front of forty-eight feet (48 ft.) on the west side of Pennsylvania avenue by a depth of one hundred and thirty feet (130 ft.) to an alley fifteen feet (15 ft.) wide; bounded east by Pennsylvania avenue, south by lot numbered thirty-two, west by an alley and north by lot numbered thirty-four (34); it being the same property acquired by said Anton Bamberg by deed recorded in the office of the Recorder of Deeds of city of St. Louis, in book 366, page 74; to secure the payment of certain promissory notes described in said deed; whereof one note being long since due remains partly unpaid: Now at the request of the legal holder of said note, and in pursuance of the provision of said deed of trust, I will, on

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 6TH, 1881,

and between the hours of ten o'clock in the forenoon and four o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell said property for cash to the highest bidder for the purposes of said trust.

CHARLES H. HOFFMANN,
Trustee.

St. Louis, March 12, 1881. 73J

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.—Whereas Mathew Rodden (now more than nine months dead), by his certain deed of trust dated May 26, 1870, and recorded in the Recorder's office of the city (formerly county) of St. Louis, in book 410, page 126, did convey to the undersigned the following described real estate situated in the city (then county) of St. Louis and State of Missouri, to-wit:

Lot number three of Arlington Grove, according to the plat of same recorded in the Recorder's office of the county (now city) of St. Louis, and being a subdivision of a certain piece of land conveyed to John F. Carter and William C. Jamison as trustees for Eliza A. Bird by John Goodfellow and others, the said lot conveyed by said deed of trust having a front of one hundred feet on the St. Charles Rock road by a depth north of two hundred and eighty-four feet and eleven inches, more or less, to a twenty-foot alley, and bounded on the south by the St. Charles Rock road, on the east by lot number two of said Arlington Grove; on the north by 20-foot alley, on the west by lot No. 4 of said Arlington grove; which conveyance was made in trust to secure the payment of certain notes in said deed described. And, whereas, default has been made in the payment of the note falling due two years after date secured by said deed, and said note now remains due and unpaid: Now, therefore, at the request of the legal holder of said note, I will, on

TUESDAY, THE TWELFTH DAY OF APRIL, 1881,

between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, proceed to sell at public vendue, to the highest bidder, for cash, the above described property, to satisfy said note and the expenses of executing this trust.

SAM'L PEPPER,
Trustee.

St. Louis, Mo., March 21, 1881. 6L

TRUSTEE'S SALE.—Whereas, by a deed, dated March 26, 1877, and recorded on page 171 of book No. 568 of the records of the Recorder of Deeds for the county of St. Louis, was conveyed to the undersigned all that certain parcel of real estate situate in block No. 832 of the city of St. Louis, and described as follows, to-wit: 55 feet by 150, fronting on Washington avenue, south side, between Sixteenth and Seventeenth streets, beginning on the south line of Washington avenue, where a line drawn through the middle of a partition wall erected by John and William Finney, extended north, intersects said south line of said avenue, which point of intersection is distant 94 feet 11 inches eastwardly from the northwest corner of said block; thence east along the south line of Washington avenue 55 feet, thence south or a straight line 150 feet to the north line of St. Charles street, thence west on the north line of St. Charles street 55 feet more or less to a point where a straight line drawn from the beginning point and on Washington avenue through the center line of said partition wall would intersect St. Charles street, thence north through said center line of said partitition wall 150 feet to place of beginning; in trust to secure the payments of certain notes specified in said deed. Now, under the provisions of said deed, the undersigned will offer said property for sale, at public auction, for cash to the highest bidder, at the eastern front of the Court-house, in the said city, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. of

TUESDAY, THE 12TH OF APRIL, 1881,

for the purposes of said trust.

J. G. McCLELLAN,
Trustee.

46L

WHEREAS, Louisa G. Robinson and James H. Robinson, her husband, by their deed of trust dated May 19, 1880, and recorded in book 627, page 452, in the office of the Recorder of Deeds for the city of St. Louis, Missouri, conveyed to the undersigned trustee the following described real estate in the city of St. Louis, Missouri, as follows, towit:

The south half of lot numbered 15 of city block numbered 1650 of said city of St. Louis, and more particularly described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point on the east line of Clara street, distant 171 9-12 feet north of the north line of Keokuk street, thence running eastwardly and parallel with the north line of Keokuk street 117 6-12 feet to a proposed alley, thence northwardly along the west line of said proposed alley 25 feet thence; westwardly and parallel with the north line of Keokuk street, 117 6-12 feet to the east line of Clara street, thence south with the east line of Clara street, 25 feet to the place of beginning, with the improvements thereon. In trust to secure the payment of certain promissory notes in said deed of trust described: and, whereas, default has been made in the payment of certain of said promissory notes: Now, therefore, at the request of the legal holder of said notes, and under the provisions of said deed of trust, I, the undersigned trustee will proceed to sell the property hereinbefore described at public vendue, to the highest bidder, for cash, at the eastern front door of the Court-house in the city of St. Louis, Missouri, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. of

THURSDAY, APRIL 14TH, 1881,

for the purposes mentioned in said deed of trust.

M. R. COLLINS, Jr.,
Trustee.

4L

WHEREAS, August Miller, by his deed of trust dated May 28, 1877, and recorded in the office of the Recorder of city of St. Louis in book 534, page 367, conveyed to Robert Baker a tract of land situated in the city of St. Louis, Missouri, described as follows, viz: Lot numbered thirteen (13) in John Baker's subdivision of block fifty-one (51) of Peter Lindell's second addition to the city of St. Louis, as shown by plat on file and recorded in the Recorder's office of St. Louis, said lot having a front of fifty (50) feet on the south line of Lindell boulevard, by a depth southwardly of two hundred (200) feet to a twenty foot alley, the east line of said lot being distant from the west line of Taylor six hundred feet; in trust to secure the payment of certain notes in said deed of trust described, said notes having been given for part of purchase price of said land. And whereas, it is provided in said deed of trust that in case of the absence, death, refusal to act or disability in anywise of said Robert Baker (party of the second part in said deed of trust), when a sale should be directed by the holder of said notes in accordance with the terms of said deed of trust, then the (then) acting Sheriff of the city of St. Louis, Missouri, should at request of the legal holder of said notes, sell said property in accordance with the provisions of said deed of trust; and, whereas, said Robert Baker is absent and disabled to act, and said notes are overdue and unpaid; now, the undersigned Sheriff of the city of St. Louis, Missouri, at the request of the legal holder and owner of said notes, will offer said property for sale in accordance with the terms of said deed of trust, at public vendue, to the highest bidder, for cash, at the eastern front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, Missouri, on the

20TH DAY OF APRIL, 1881,

between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. for the purposes of said trust.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff.

St. Louis, Mo., March 26, 1881. 61L

TRUSTEE'S SALE.—Whereas, Robert William Walsh, trustee of Nora Higgins, wife of Thomas O. Higgins, and the said Thomas O. Higgins and Nora Higgins, his wife, by their certain deed of trust, dated December 13, 1876, and recorded in book 561, page 267, in the office of the Recorder of Deeds for the city of St. Louis, Missouri, conveyed to the undersigned trustee the following described real estate in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, as follows, to-wit: A lot of ground in block No. 1045 of the said city of St. Louis, Missouri, beginning at the junction of the west line of Page avenue with the south line of Morgan street, thence running south along the west line of Page avenue 27 feet and 2 inches, thence west parallel with Morgan street 75 feet, thence north 27 feet 2 inches to the south line of Morgan street, thence along the south line of Morgan street 75 feet to the place of beginning: which conveyance was made to the undersigned in trust to secure the payment of certain notes in said deed fully described; and, whereas, several of said notes have since become due and remain unpaid; now, therefore, I, the undersigned, at the request of the legal holder of said notes, will, on

MONDAY, THE 18TH DAY OF APRIL, 1881,

at the eastern front door of the Court-house, in the said city of St. Louis, between the hours of 10 o'clock in the forenoon and 3 o'clock in the afternoon, sell the premises above described to the highest bidder, at public vendue, for cash, to satisfy the provisions of said trust.

E. JUNGENFELD, Trustee.

St. Louis, Mo., March 24, 1881. 60L

LEGAL.

Trustees' Sales.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.—Whereas, David H. Armstrong, by his certain deed of trust dated the thirtieth day of April, 1878, and recorded in book 594, page 140, of the Recorder's office of the city of St. Louis, Mo., conveyed to the undersigned, the following described lots or parcels of ground situated, lying and being in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, to-wit: A lot in block one (1) in St. Louis, Mo., having a front of forty-four (44) feet six (6) inches on the western line of Front street, by a depth of ninety-three (93) feet four (4) inches on the northern line of Plum street to Commercial street. Also a lot in block two hundred and forty-one (241) of said city, having a front of sixty-two (62) feet on the eastern line of Second street by a depth of eighty (80) feet on the northern line of Mullanphy street. Also a lot in block two hundred and sixty-five (265) of said city, having a front of forty-two (42) feet on the western line of Eleventh street by a depth of one hundred and three (103) feet to an alley, and bounded north by a line parallel with and fifty (50) feet south of the southern line of Wash street. Also lots "A" and one (1), two (2), three (3), four (4,) five (5), six (6), seven (7), eight (8), nine (9) and ten (10) in block four (4) of the second subdivision of Fairview, and in block eight hundred and seventy-eight (878) south of said city, having an aggregate front of two hundred and ninety-seven (297) feet three (3) inches on the northern line of Sidney street by a depth of one hundred and forty (140) feet to McRee street, and bounded west by Second Carondelet avenue. Also lots twenty-five (25), twenty-six (26), twenty-seven (27), twenty-eight (28), twenty-nine (29), thirty (30), thirty-one (31), thirty-two (32), thirty-three (33), thirty-four (34), thirty-five (35), thirty-six (36,) thirty-seven (37) and thirty-eight (38), in block (5) of Fairview addition, and in block fourteen hundred and seven (1407) of said city, having an aggregate front of three hundred and fifty-one (351) feet six (6) inches on the northern line of Sidney street, by a depth of one hundred and fifty-three (153) feet five (5) inches to McRee street, and bounded west by Union avenue. Also lots fifty-two (52), fifty-three (53), fifty-four (54), fifty-five (55), fifty-six (56), fifty-seven (57), fifty-eight (58), fifty-nine (59), sixty (60), sixty-one (61), sixty-two (62), sixty-three (63), sixty-four (64), sixty-five (65) and sixty-six (66) in block six (6) of Fairview addition, and in block fourteen hundred and eight (1408) of said city, having an aggregate front of three hundred and ninety (390) feet on the southern line of Victor street by a depth of one hundred and fifty-three feet (153) five (5) inches to McRee street, and bounded east by Second Carondelet avenue. Also all of city block fourteen hundred and three (1403), being lots twenty-one (21) to fifty-seven (57) inclusive, and being block nine (9) in Fairview addition. Also city block fourteen hundred and four (1404), and being lots fifty-eight (58) to ninety-two (92) inclusive, and being in blockten (10) in Fairview addition. Also the undivided half of two (2) lots in block eighteen hundred and thirty-five (1835) of said city, one having a front of three hundred and eighty-five (385) feet on the western line of Twenty-third street by a depth of one hundred and twenty-seven (127) feet six (6) inches to an alley, and the other having a like front on the eastern line of Twenty-fourth street by a like depth to said alley, both of said lots being bounded on the south by the southern line of United States survey three thousand and three (3003).

Also the undivided half of a lot in block eighteen hundred and thirty-six (1836) of said city, having a front of three hundred and eighty-five (385) feet on the western line of Twenty-fourth street by a depth of two hundred and thirty-eight (238) feet, and bounded south by the southern line of United States survey numbered three thousand and three (3003). Also, lot eight (8) of the subdivision of lot seven (7) of the Motard tract, and in block twenty-one hundred and seventy-five (2175) of the said city, having a front of one hundred and twenty-three (123) feet eight (8) inches on the eastern line of Grand avenue by a depth of three hundred and seventy-three (373) feet along the north line of Caroline street to Carr Lane street. Also, a lot in block twenty-one hundred and seventy-nine (2179) of said city and in said Motard tract, having a front of one hundred and forty-five (145) feet five (5) inches on the western line of Grand avenue by a depth of two hundred and fifteen (215) feet, more or less, to Motard avenue. Also lots two (2) three (3) and four (4) in block two (2) of Dillon's addition continued opposite Lafayette Park, and in block twenty-two hundred and sixty-nine (2269) of said city, having an aggregate front of seventy-five (75) feet on the southern line of Chouteau avenue, by a depth of one hundred and seventeen (117) feet two (2) inches on the western line of Armstrong avenue. Also lots six (6), seven (7) and eight (8) in block two (2) of Dillon's addition continued, opposite Lafayette Park, and in block twenty-two hundred and sixty-nine (2269) of said city, having an aggregate front of seventy-five (75) feet on the western line of Armstrong avenue, by a depth of one hundred (100) feet. Also lots three (3) and four (4) in block five (5) of the same addition as last above mentioned, and in block twenty-two hundred and seventy-eight (2278) west of said city having an aggregate front of eighty-five (85) feet eight (8) inches on the northern line of Rutger street by a depth of one hundred and twenty-two (122) feet two (2) inches to an alley. Also lots two (2), four (4) and six (6) of the subdivision of lot seven (7) of the Motard tract, containing 1-79 acres, 1-66 acres and 2-55 acres respectively, being a total of six (6) acres. Also all of block twenty-two hundred and seventy-six (2276) west and twenty-two hundred and seventy-seven (2277) west of said city, lying between Dillon's addition and the center line of lot ten (10) of the subdivision of United States survey thirty-one hundred and twenty-three (3,123). Also the undivided half of all of block three (3) of Wilkinson's addition to Lowell, except lot five (5).

Which said conveyance to the undersigned was made in trust to secure the payment of certain notes in said deed of trust described; and, whereas, several of said notes are past due and remain unpaid, demand for payment having been made; now, therefore, at the request of the legal holder of said notes, and in pursuance of the conditions in said deed of trust, the undersigned will, on

TUESDAY, APRIL 12, 1881,

between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 5 o'clock p. m. of said day, at the east front door of the Court-house in said city of St. Louis, Missouri, sell the above described real estate at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, for the purpose of satisfying said notes and the costs of executing this trust.

EDWARD P. CURTIS,
Trustee.

St. Louis, Mo., March 18, 1881. 39K

Administrators' Notices.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.—In re estate of Martin Muller, deceased.—Notice is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of

Martin Muller,

deceased, that I, the undersigned Public Administrator in charge of said estate, intend to make a final settlement thereof, at the next term of the Probate Court of city St. Louis, to be holden at the Court-house in said city on the first Monday in June, A. D. 1881.

MARTROM D. LEWIS,
Public Administrator for the City of St. Louis,
Office, Northwest Corner Sixth and Locust Streets, Insurance Building.

St. Louis, Mo., March 19, 1881. 40K

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.—In re estate of Mary Gleeson, deceased.—Notice is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of

Mary Gleeson,

deceased, that I, the undersigned Public Administrator, in charge of said estate, intend to make a final settlement thereof at the next term of the Probate Court of the city of St. Louis, to be holden at the Court-house in said city, on the first Monday in June, A. D. 1881.

MARTROM D. LEWIS,
Public Administrator for the City of St. Louis,
Office, Northwest Corner Sixth and Locust Streets, Insurance Building.

St. Louis, Mo., March 19, 1881. 41K

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.—In re estate of Henry Meyers, deceased.—Notice is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of

Henry Meyers,

deceased, that I, the undersigned Public Administrator in charge of said estate, intend to make a final settlement thereof at the next term of the Probate Court of the city of St. Louis, to be holden at the Court-House in said city on the first Monday of June, A. D. 1881.

MARTROM D. LEWIS,
Public Administrator for the City of St. Louis,
Office, Northwest Corner Sixth and Locust Streets, Insurance Building.

St. Louis, Mo., March 19, 1881. 42K

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.—In re estate of Adam Wunderlich, deceased.—Notice is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of

Adam Wunderlich,

deceased, that I, the undersigned Public Administrator in charge of said estate, with the will annexed, intend to make a final settlement thereof, at the next term of the Probate Court of the city of St. Louis, to be holden at the Court-house in said city on the first Monday in June, A. D. 1881.

MARTROM D. LEWIS,
Public Administrator for the City of St. Louis,
Office, N. W. Cor. Sixth and Locust Sts., Insurance Building.

St. Louis, Mo., March 19, 1881. 53K

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.—In re estate of Gerhard H. Bermann, deceased, de bonis non.—Notice is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of

Gerhard H. Bermann,

deceased, de bonis non, that I, the undersigned, Public Administrator in charge of said estate, intend to make a final settlement thereof at the next term of the Probate Court of the city of St. Louis, to be holden at the Court-house in said city on the first Monday in June, A. D. 1881.

MARTROM D. LEWIS,
Public Administrator for the City of St. Louis,
Office, Northwest Corner Sixth and Locust Streets, Insurance Building.

St. Louis, Mo., March 19, 1881. 54K

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.—In re estate of Herman Schaeffer, deceased.—Notice is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of

Herman Schaeffer,

deceased, that I, the undersigned Public Administrator in charge of said estate, intend to make a final settlement thereof at the next term of the Probate Court of the city of of St. Louis, to be holden at the Court-house in said city on the first Monday in June, A. D. 1881.

MARTROM D. LEWIS,
Public Administrator for the City of St. Louis,
Office, Northwest Corner Sixth and Locust Streets, Insurance Building.

St. Louis, Mo., March 19, 1881. 62K

WHAT ART THOU, ROME?

What art thou, Rome? An empire's cemet'ry?
The skeleton of greatness still thou hast.
Thy shattered Coliseum stern and vast,
Thy long, long aqueducts—from water free!
Thy mouldering fanes—without a deity!
Gray columns, too, whose very names are pass'd,
Yet, still erect, their lengthening shadows cast,
As though they marked the hours of destiny.

What art thou, Rome? I look again around,
There meets mine eye the grand procession gloom,
And in mine ear the swelling anthem's sound,
And nearer still the clouds of incense loom,
And lofty cupolas my mind astound.
What art thou, Rome? a temple or a tomb?

MRS. HARE NAYLOR.

THE POISONER.

BY JOHNSON B. TURNER.

It was a badly frightened and very nervous woman that was ushered into a detective's presence early one morning in June, 1865.

Her name was Mrs. Bertha Schwinke; her occupation that of a boarding-house keeper. Her complaint was of a very serious nature, being an accusation of contemplated poisoning on the part of one of her favorite boarders, a gentleman by the name of Frederick Sellers.

The story she told the detective in a tremulous voice may be briefly summed up as follows.

Sellers was a dry goods clerk, and had for a room-mate a young man named Abel Luther, a druggist's clerk. Both were American-born, but of German descent, the same as Mrs. Schwinke.

Sellers had been an inmate of her household upward of a year, and was a general favorite with them all; Mrs. Schwinke especially regarded him as indeed one of the family. But "a change came over the spirit of her dream." On the previous night, while doing some repairing to some bed-linen in a room adjoining that of Sellers, she overheard a conversation between him and Luther in which her name was mentioned. This fact excited her curiosity and applying her ear to the wall which divided the two apartments, she distinctly heard Sellers say he would give her some poison.

"Are you quite sure that you heard aright?" asked the gentleman.

"Oh, I'm sure he said those words, Mr. Varnoe," responded she, with great earnestness. "I can swear to it."

"Did his companion make any remarks?"

"Yes, sir, he did. He said he would like to do the same thing, only he could not afford it."

"Meaning I presume, he would not hazard the attempt," suggested Varnoe.

"I guess he was afraid," was the simple rejoinder.

"Well what would you have me do?" said the detective. "Since you are positive that he means to poison you in the near future, it appears to me that your wisest course would be to lay your complaint before a magistrate and have him arrested."

"Oh, no, Mr. Varnoe, I would not like that," pleaded she. "I have thought so much of Mr. Sellers that I could not bear to have him arrested. What I would like is for you to come to my house as a boarder and watch him and Mr. Luther, and try and find out how he intends to poison me and for what—for I'm sure I have always treated both of them very kindly, especially Mr. Sellers."

Here the young widow put her apron to her face and wept softly for a minute or two. She was not over twenty-five, of a good figure, and very pretty in features, and the detective shrewdly guessed that she had taken a strong liking to her "favorite boarder," and his contemplated crime against her wounded her vanity as much as it shocked her moral sensibilities.

"But, madam," remarked Varnoe, smiling, "that would amount to nothing whatever if he really meditates such a thing as you suspect. While I would be seeking to discover the means he intends to employ, he might accomplish the deed. What then?"

"My God! then I know not what I shall do," said she, in evident distress. "Can't you find out some better way, Mr. Varnoe?" asked she, beseechingly.

"Well, Mrs. Schwinke," said the detective, taking compassion on her, "I'll come to your house as a boarder for a few days, and try and find out all about it."

"Will you go now? Oh, I'm so glad!" cried the delighted woman. "You shall have the best of the table while you are a boarder, and I'll not charge you a cent. And if you can make it out that I am mistaken, and Mr. Sellers does not mean to poison me after all, why I shall give you twenty dollars—there, now!"

"That is all right," responded Varnoe, scarcely able to conceal a smile at her eagerness; then he remarked. "Then you do not wish to think he really meditates taking your life?"

"Oh, no sir; I don't."

"And after all, you do appear to be certain that you were correct in your interpretation of the words you overheard?" pursued the gentleman quizzingly.

"Well I thought I overheard him say so," responded she, in a hesitating tone, "but after all, I may be mistaken."

"Very likely," remarked Varnoe, dubiously. "However, I'll be around in the morning as a gentleman named Mr. James Powers."

"Thank you, I shall expect you," rejoined Mrs. Schwinke, and she left the detective's presence with a light heart and smiling countenance.

Next morning, attired as a fashionable agent, Varnoe pulled the bell at the German widow's boarding-house, bringing that lady to the door. She looked at him inquiringly, then asked him what he wanted. She did not recognize him.

"I came to take board with you, madam," said he smilingly.

"Yes, sir," answered she. "What name?"

"Mr. James Powers."

"Eh!" cried she, gazing sharply in his face. "Are you Mr. Varnoe?"

"At your service, madam."

"Well," said she, gazing at him wonderingly, "I wouldn't have known you. Walk in."

She took him to the room where she had overheard the "awful plot" discussed, saying:

"This is your room, Mr. Varnoe—Powers, I mean—beg your pardon, and here you can hear them talk quite plain, if you put your ear to the wall."

"Thank you. I shall avail myself of that method if I find it necessary," returned he.

However, as neither of the parties mentioned was in the room at that time, there was no opportunity afforded Varnoe to ascertain whether their conversation could be so easily overheard as the lady had given him to understand. After spending a short time in his room he went into the parlor, where he engaged in a light conversation with Mrs. Schwinke, but studiously avoided any reference on his part to their previous conversation, although she endeavored several times to introduce the matter that appeared to be her absorbing thought, but Varnoe always managed to change the subject.

When the dinner bell rang, Mrs Schwinke said quietly, before they entered the dining-room:

"Now you will have an opportunity of seeing the young men. I will make you acquainted with them under your assumed name of Mr. Powers."

At dinner Mr. Powers, the new boarder, was introduced to the others, and they sat down to partake of the really good and substantial viands which were provided by the amiable hostess.

Varnoe looked at the two suspected confederates in the "poisoning line," and at once pronounced the landlady mistaken in her judgement, or rather her suspicions—for the truth manifested itself during the latter part of her interview at Varnoe's office, that she was inclined to doubt her first impression in reference to the murderous intent of Mr. Sellers.

The young gentleman was about twenty-three years of age, of fair complexion, laughing blue eyes and an honest expression of countenance.

Abel Luther did not impress the detective quite so favorably, yet there was apparently nothing vicious in his organiztion. He was only a conceited, silly coxcomb, Varnoe thought. He possessed a handsome face and figure, but no brains to correspond.

During the progress of the meal Varnoe observed something else. A fine buxom girl, who waited on the table, frequently favored Frederick Sellers with a prolonged glance of evident admiration, to which the recipient seemed perfectly oblivious. He also saw the girl cast stealthy glances at Mrs. Schwinke, while that lady and Sellers were engaged in a spirited conversation. He also noticed that while the glances she bestowed upon Sellers were evidently of a tender nature, those she favored Mrs. Schwinke with were strongly tinctured with the angry light of an evil jealousy.

"The landlady admires Sellers, and so does this girl, while at the same time she hates her mistress." Thus reasoned the observant detective.

After this Varnoe had a private conversation with his hostess, and spoke to her in very plain terms.

"Mrs. Schwinke," asked he, "who is that dark, handsome girl who waited on the table?"

"Mina Franke," replied the lady. "Do you admire her?"

"That is not what I am driving at, madam," responded he, gravely. "I see she greatly admires your favorite boarder, Mr. Frederick Sellers."

An indignant flush sprang to her face at these words, after which she turned pale as death, and in a hoarse whisper observed:

"Do you think she has anything to do with the poisoning?"

"Listen to me, madam; I've not finished what I intended to say," rejoined Varnoe! "I saw her casting admiring glances at Sellers, and baleful glances at you."

"Baleful? What is that—ugly looks?" she asked.

"She evidently hates you."

"I know she does," was the quick response of the hostess. "Is it because she admires Mr. Sellers?" she asked anxiously.

"No, it is because you admire him," returned the detective.

The hostess turned away her head to hide her blushing face, while she sighed "Oh, Mr. Powers!"

"It is the truth I am telling you," rejoined Varnoe. "I do not think that Mr. Sellers has any evil designs on you; and if you fear any such thing, you had better look to Miss Franke. She seems quite capable of such a deed, for she is fearfully jealous; and a woman under its influence loses all control of her better judgment, and often is guilty of acts she would not commit in her cooler moments."

"I'll clear her out of the house this very day!" cried Mrs. Schwinke, in great wrath.

"Softly madam," said Varnoe, with an amused smile: "that would be incompatible with justice. The girl has commited no graver offense than to admire the man you admire, and surely that is no crime, or you would be equally guilty. It is only an evidence of her good taste, don't you see?"

"The bold thing! I'll talk to her," rejoined the indignant lady; and her hazel eyes flashed ominously.

"Do not provoke her, I beg you," observed the detective, seriously. "I am a pretty good judge of faces, and I take Mina Franke to be of a very passionate disposition, and dangerous if grievously provoked."

"Do you think she would strike me?" she asked.

"She may do so, and I'd advise you to speak gently and calmly to her."

"I don't care," cried the lady; "I'll have her out of the house when her month is up."

"Ah, that will be better," rejoined he. "Give her notice without assigning any reason, and thus you will be rid of a dangerous rival without any strife."

"Humph!" cried the lady, with a toss of her head; "I'll just tell her what I think of her; that's what I'll do."

The lady evidently kept her word, for the detective saw, while at supper, that Miss Franke wore an angry scowl while waiting on the table, and occasionally darted a savage glance at her mistress—glances that boded no good.

Half an hour after the evening meal was over, Mrs. Schwinke was suddenly taken violently ill with all symptoms of poisoning. Sellers had stepped out ten minutes previously to purchase a weekly periodical and had not yet returned, and Varnoe hastened to summon medical aid.

The lady was in violent pain when the doctor reached her side, and after feeling her pulse and examining her tounge, he pronounced the opinion that she had taken arsenic.

He at once applied the stomach pump, which relieved her considerably and after administering soft liquids, he relieved her of all pain, and under the balmy effects of a gentle opiate she fell into a calm slumber.

Varnoe went to look after Mina, and found her sitting at the kitchen window, looking out into the semi-twilight, quite unconcerned, barely looking around at the sound of footsteps.

"Miss Franke," spoke the detective.

She turned her head without responding, and gazed vacantly at the intruder.

"Your mistress was not killed by the dose you gave her," said the detective in a calm voice.

The color forsook her face, and she sat transfixed, as it were by the keen, magnetic gaze of Varnoe, but remained silent still.

"Why did you attempt her life?" asked he, approaching nearer.

She sprang to her feet then, and boldly demanded who accused her of the crime.

"I do."

"You!" cried she disdainfully; "and who are you?"

"I am a detective officer, come to arrest you for attempted murder."

A low cry escaped her, and turning her back on her accuser, she seemingly buried her face in her hands and resumed her seat at the window, leaning her head on her folded arms.

Varnoe regarded her with commiseration for a few minutes, then gently laid his hand on her head. She did not move.

"Come, my poor girl," said he, pityingly, "confess your fault; it will be better for you in the end."

Still no reply.

He raised her head and saw her eyes were closed, while at the same time the odor of bitter almonds assailed his nostrils. Gently laying her head on the window sill, he sprang up stairs and apprised the doctor of the probable tragedy that had been quietly enacted in the kitchen.

The doctor was somewhat startled at this information, and also seemed a little bewildered at the new case which was mentioned to him. Leaving Mrs. Schwinke, who was now quietly sleeping, to the care of a nurse, he quickly followed Varnoe to the kitchen.

The girl was still reclining with her head on the window-sill, quiet and motionless. The doctor quickly reached her side, and taking her hand in his, placed his fingers on her wrist. There was no pulsation.

Then quietly taking her face in his hands he turned it upward and gaxed earnestly and searchingly at her rigid features.

When the medical gentleman looked at the girl's face he shook his head and said.

"She is past all aid. Prussic acid is too deadly a drug for any known antidote."

The tiny vial in her clenched hand told the sad tale. Rather than endure the disgrace of a trial at court and subsequent conviction and punishment, she chose to end her wretched existence.

Mrs. Schwinke was kept in ignorance of the sad fate of her servant, until she herself was quite restored from the effects of the deadly drug administered by a jealous rival. She was filled with remorse when the truth was revealed to her.

"Poor Mina! Poor girl!" moaned she, in heart-rending accents. "I hope the good God will forgive me for being so angry with her."

Poor Mrs. Schwinke acted generously in regard to the burial of the friendless suicide. She became responsible for all the expenses, and had her decently interred.

Sellers was nearly frantic when told on his return to the house that his landlady had been poisoned, and might possibly die from the effects.

"Oh, no! no, no!" exclaimed he, as he hastened to the parlor, where she lay on the sofa writhing in pain. He sprang to her side, and falling on his knees beside her, he rapturously kissed her pale cheeks and called her his "dear Bertha."

"Oh, who has done this wicked deed?" exclaimed he, in anguished tones.

"Say you did not poison me," whispered she, with a painful effort, while she regarded his face with beaming eyes.

"I poison you!" he cried, in unfeigned horror, "Oh, how can you ask such a question when I would willingly give my own life to save yours!"

She smiled and closed her eyes, while her frame was racked with pain. But the smile remained on her lips. She was beloved by the idol of her heart. Now she had no fear of death.

But fate and the doctor decreed otherwise. She was not to die just then, and there were two happy hearts in that house when the physican pronounced her out of danger.

On the following day Varnoe called Sellers aside, and told him of the visit of Mrs. Schwinke to his office, and the purport of her visit.

Sellers laughed outright at her strange conceit, then became grave, and asked the detective what could possibly have put such an absurd idea into her dead.

"I have a faint idea how the error happened," observed Varnoe, with a smile.

"Let me hear it."

"Were you and Mr. Luther at any time during the last few days discussing in your bed-room the intention of making your worthy hostess a present or a gift?"

"Not to my knowledge," replied Sellers, after a moment's consideration. "We were talking about giving poor Mina a birthday gift for she was a favorite of ours, and her birthday would have been on the 29th had she lived. But how do you mean to connect that circumstance with the nonsensical notion that lodged in Mrs. Schwinke's brain?" asked he.

"Listen—I'll explain it to your entire satisfaction," rejoined Varnoe. "She overheard you but imperfectly, and understands our language also imperfectly. Hence, when you mentioned the term 'gift' she lost sight of the fact that you were speaking her language, and 'gift,' as you must be aware, means 'poison' in the German language."

"Right; proceed," said the young man.

"The word 'birthday' reaching her but indistinctly, she misconstrued, in her excitement, into 'Bertha,' and with the two words 'birthday gift,' she was postive that you said to Mr. Luther that you were going to give to Bertha gift meaning 'poison.' Do you see it?"

A merry laugh, was the answer, and they laughed in concert as they reviewed the ridiculous side of the good lady's mistake.

When it was explained to her how she came to make so grave a mistake she was greatly confused, and vowed to play the part of eaves-dropper no more, and possibly to remove from Frederick Sellers' heart to do so vile a deed as to poison his landlady, she bestowed her hand on him six months later, and became a happy bride.

An invitation was given to Varnoe to be present at the wedding, as he was now looked upon as a friend by both the lady and gentlemen, and he was therefore present upon that occasion.

Varnoe presented his bill for services rendered while the guests were enjoying the wedding supper. It read as follows:

Mrs. Bertha Sellers, nee Schwinke, Dr.
To Varnoe:
For producing proof that Federick Sellers did harbor no deliberate design on Mrs. Schwinke's life..............$20 00

The detective mischievously handed it to Mr. Sellers, and whispered to him to hand it to his bride after reading it. He did so, and the guests who witnessed this little by-play greatly wondered what the note contained that it had the power to call such vivid blushes on the cheeks of the blooming bride.

The bridel placed the magic bill in her bosom, and, while the blushes still lingered on her cheeks, she playfully shook her plump finger at the laughing detective and said:

"Now, I'll not pay you."

And she didn't.

LUNCHEONS AND TEAS.

Fashionable Features of Afternoon Entertainments.

From Harper's Bazar.

Round tables, holding twenty-eight, at which the company seated can see each other and "talk across," have been hastily improvised this winter. The table is brought in two pieces by the caterer and fastened together in the house. It is then laid on top of the ordinary extension table and covered with a red cloth. Over this is thrown a white damask cover, or one of the new open-work momie-cloth table-covers or a Dresden-made cloth, criss-ross, with open insertion of lace or embroidery. This allows the red to show through the interstices, and has a beautiful effect, such as we see in the pictures of banquets by Gerome and Vibert, who devote much attention to elaborate table-cloths in their pictures. The table is then laid with all the best china and glass and silver and with magnificent flowers as a center-piece; also with a bouquet for each lady, with a long ribbon attached, on which is painted her name in full, with little reticules of silk, highly ornamented, containing bonbons, and often with fans; or little Japanese caskets, also holding bonbons, are added. These gifts are to be taken home and are laid at each plate. Oysters on the half shell, followed by boullon are served; then crab or lobster croquettes, bouchees a la reine, sweetbreads, filet de bœuf, mushrooms on toast, or kindred luxuries, followed by delicious sorbet or Roman punch, which is served in little pink slippers, or boats, or roses, made of china. These are sometimes given to the guests as well as the fans and bouquets; they have to be taken out and washed first, however. and brought back. Canvas-back duck or some sort of game follows the sorbet; then salad, cheese, ices, fruits (always including strawberries in early spring if they can be bought). Coffee is served in the drawing-room. The wines, which are freely poured out, are Chateau Yquem with the fish; champagne and claret and sherry. These are seldom drunk. As women can not drink much wine, particularly in the middle of the day, no doubt the wine which is poured generally becomes the perquisite of the waiters.

The meal thus becomes a dinner in the middle of the day and is very heavy and luxurious. The luncheon occupies from one o'clock to half past three, and ladies vie with each other as to which shall give the handsomest favors and flowers. One or two ladies this winter presented baskets of field flowers, clovers, daisies, lilies of the valley, grasses and daffodils, which was the height of luxury in February. The daisy now ranks as an exotic, although it is the pest of the farmer in July. However, it must be observed that the splendid roses of the present, Jacqueminot, Cornelia Cook, Marshal Neil and Gloire de Paris are very favorite offerings. Nothing can exceed the luxury of New York winter flowers. At one luncheon a lady offered the old-fashioned palm-leaf fan, with roses fastened on the flat surface. Every flirt of the fan brought a breeze laden with perfume. Bands are often stationed in the halls to play for these luncheon eaters, so that every sense is gratified.

Ladies wear always bonnets and street dresses, generally dark ones, at these lunches. The brocaded velvets have been a favorite luncheon dress this winter. The lady of the house wears a very handsome dark dress, high in the throat, with long sleeves. There is no limit as to expense in dress, but light silks would be in bad taste, and white bonnets have not been in favor at these morning parties, although so fashionable last winter. Jewelry of a sober pattern alone is admissible. Diamond solitaires only of the diamond tribe are considered in order in the daytime.

BUCKWHEAT CAKES.—Take one cake of dry yeast, National, (or, if you want to make them fresh every day, you can use compressed yeast), dissolve the yeast in a cup of warm water, and mix in wheat flour to make a stiff batter, and set covered in a warm place about three hours before you want to make your batter; then scald a cup of Indian meal, and stir until smooth and free from lumps; then add about five cups of buckwheat and a tablespoonful of salt, and mix with cold water until it is about the right thickness; then add your sponge or yeast and set in a warm place till morning. In the morning, beat it up well and add two tablespoonfuls of molasses to your batter. Now use a piece of beef suet to grease your griddle, and you will have good cakes; and if you have a little batter left say a teacupful, you need not put in any more yeast for the next day, but use that to raise the next.

HINTS TO FARMERS.

Whole Chuncks of Agricultural Lore Warranted Genuine.

The Quality of Our Food Products.

That various European countries have prohibited the importation of American pork on account of the circulation of false reports now seems certain. That the condition of our meat-producing animals in regard to health has been grossly misrepresented is also sure. The English agricultural commissioners who were here last season made a flattering report of the condition of our farm stock, and especially noticed the very excellent condition of our hogs. The country since its first settlement has been almost entirely free from contagious diseases among animals raised for food. The large amount of exercise allowed stock here, the purity of the water and the excellence of the grass and grain are all favorable to the health of domesticated animals.

Still it must be confessed that many of the articles sold for food in this country or sent abroad are not what they should be. As a rule, there is no inspection of articles intended for food with a view of ascertaining their condition or quality. In many of the States there are no statutes against adulterations of any kind. In others the laws on this subject are never enforced. Many articles of common use on tables are rarely, if ever, found pure, or in a state approaching purity. Almost everything designed for condiments is adulterated to a shameful extent. Since it has become common to grind spices, peppers, mustard and other articles employed as relishes, it is almost impossible to find any of them pure. Dealers do not strive to acquire a reputation for the quality of the articles they sell, but for cheapness.

Cheap and abundant as are fruits in this country, every kind of fraud is practiced in disposing of them. The packages in which they are placed are smaller than the standard they are presumed to represent. The fruit placed in them, whether apples, pears, peaches, quinces or plums, are as a rule sorted, the larger and fairer specimens being placed where they can be seen and the smaller and inferior specimens put where they will be out of sight. Not unfrequently the ends of a barrel will be filled with choice specimens of a superior variety and the middle packed with very poor specimens of a very inferior kind. Greater frauds are practiced in the trade in peaches than in any other branch of the fruit business. Everything about it is dishonest, from the size of the package to the contents of it.

The trade in canned fruits is fearfully demoralized. In many cases berries and other small fruits are sold to canners after they are in a condition that prevents their being bought by ordinary customers. With rare exceptions glucose is employed in the place of sugar to aid in their preservation. Few of the commercial fruit jellies are true to name. The bulk of them is composed of some sort of glue, colored with aniline and flavored with a chemical compound. As to fruit extracts chiefly employed for flavoring pies, puddings, cakes, sauces, ice cream or so-called "soda water," they are the products of the manufacturing chemist, and the less that is known about their ingredients and the methods of compounding them the better will they be relished.

It is difficult to obtain a pure article of commercial vinegar in the market, cheap as are the substances of which it is made. If we turn to sweets the case is still worse. It is comparatively easy to obtain pure sugar by buying that which is purified and crystalized. It is, however, quite difficult in most parts of the country to obtain syrup and molasses made from tropical sugar-cane. Glucose in some form, alone or combined with a material that renders it more sweet and imparts a color, constitutes what is sold as syrup. Most of what is sold as honey in the market is simply doctored glucose. Our confectionary is composed of glucose, gum and white clay, flavored with chemical preparations and colored with various sorts of mineral pigments.

Coffee is the common table beverage of our people, and during many years it has been largely sold in a condition ready for the pot. That it is largely adulterated with very cheap materials must be evident to every consumer from the circumstance that what passes for parched coffee is sold for a smaller price than the most inferior article of the green berry. A few years ago the article most commonly employed to adulterate ground coffee was chiccory. But chiccory itself was soon adulterated, and it was not long before beets, carrots, turnips and tan-bark constituted the great bulk of what was sold under the name of chiccory. At present peas, barley, date-seeds and cocoanut shells constitute a large proportion of the substance sold as ground coffee. It may be remarked that none of these articles are positively injurious, but they are nearly destitute of value.

Milk which is sold in cities and large towns is first debased and then adulterated. During several years past butter and cheese have been made from the same batch of milk. The fat of cattle and hogs is combined with the curd made from skimmed milk, the whole colored with the extract of annotto pressed into shape, and sold as full cream cheese. Cream is no longer required for making butter. The market is largely supplied with butter manufactured from suet and lard. Pulverized soapstone is employed to give it weight, and various pigments employed to produce a desirable color. No articles employed as food are debased and adulterated to the extent milk and its products are. It is now difficult to find a pure article of milk, butter or cheese in a city market.

As yet few attempts have been made to adulterate the flour made from wheat. Buckwheat flour, however, is adulterated with rye and corn-meal, shorts and fine bran. In making sausage, beef or mutton are substituted for pork whenever the price of the latter is higher than that of the former. It is now one of the "tricks of the trade" to render smoked meats as heavy as possible. They are cured in brine instead of in dry salt and sugar, are subjected to smoke only long enough to give them a slight color and flavor, and are then covered with canvas, weighted with paste, in which sulphate of baryta and chrome yellow or yellow ochre are combined. Water is cheap, and the more of it smoked meats can be made to take up the greater are the profits to dealers.

In view of these practices it is no wonder that foreigners begin to look with distrust upon most of our food products. Our greed for gain has led us to injure nearly all our prospects for obtaining wealth by the production and sale of articles of food. A few years ago American hams, butter and cheese had an excellent reputation in every part of the world, and the demand for each of them promised to increase. Now the prejudice against them is strong. They sell, if they are disposed of at all, as inferior products and at a lower price than similar articles produced elsewhere. The practices that produced gains at first caused heavy losses at last. Quality, rather than cheapness, attracts foreign customers.

The present is a favorable time to commence the work of reformation. It takes longer to obtain a reputation for superior goods than it does to lose it, but it is of great value when acquired, and it pays to retain it. Intelligent persons at home as well as abroad have found out that it is cheaper to pay a large price for genuine articles than a small price for spurious ones. Now that the times are good and money plenty, there is a large demand for first-class articles of food of every description. People are willing to pay for the cream that goes into cheese, and will give a premium for hams from which most of the moisture has been extracted. They are ready to give full value for all they receive. They are anxious to abandon the use of inferior or worthless articles of food.

SUCKERING CORN.

At the Mississippi Valley Cane Growers' Association the question of suckering amber cane was discussed. It is known that cane throws out a great number of suckers, and some producers have concluded that they were natural growth, and increased the bulk of cane per acre. More careful men have tested the matter, and by suckering alternate acres find that the suckered cane produces not only a better article of syrup, but more of it, and at less cost for handling and evaporating. Enough tests of this kind seem to establish the fact that it pays well to sucker sorghum, for making syrup or sugar.

This experience of the sorghum-growers suggests again the question that we last year proposed, and which some of our more intelligent readers agreed to experiment upon and report. Enough has been reported to show that corn planted in rich land by drilling, suckers very much more than when planted in hills of three to four stalks each. The evidence is in favor of keeping off the suckers. Yet, as to the time and manner of removing there is a great diversity of opinion. Our opinion is that the suckers should be removed by pulling off as soon as large enough, and thereafter kept off.

If left until the corn is earing, or about to ear, the breaking and tearing off of the suckers lacerates the stalk and loosens the roots, so that the growth is checked and the stalk often withers. Any treatment at this period which checks growth must work harm to the corn crop.

If suckering has been neglected until near earing time the suckers can be cut off with a corn knife and the main stalk not be injured, but receive a new impulse that must develop more perfect growth of the ear.

In our boyhood we had many back-aches pulling the suckers from corn, but in this age of modern improvements, labor is too scarce to get suckers taken off. If it could be done by horse power, we presume the prartice of suckering corn would be common.

If any of our readers have any facts showing that it pays to sucker corn, we shall be glad to hear from them. Just now we need to be fortified with a few facts on this subject.

COACH OR PARK HORSES.

The St. Louis Fair Association offers liberal premiums for park horses. They second the suggestion of Colonel Coleman, that instead of coach horses, they be called park horses. Wallace's monthly follows, and heartily approves the change of name. It is believed this class of horses has been greatly neglected, and that he is well suited for all the work of the farm and the road, but not for the track. While trotting horses, draft horses and plugs are abundant, a stylish, up standing pair of horses of good action and power are hard to find, and such are always salable at fancy prices. Wallace says he has been talking about park horses for years, and he is sure the public is ready for such an impetus as the St. Louis Fair Association will give it. There is an objection to the term coach horse. It suggests merely a big, stout horse, with bone and muscle enough to pull a coach. The phrase park horse embraces all that and more. It tells of elegance, style and wealth, which is wont to sun itself in the parks and public places.

To give farmers a more definite idea of what is to be aimed at, the following qualifications for entry are given:

Height 16 to 16.2, weight from 1,100 to 1,300 pounds, color dark and unfading, without objectionable white markings; carriage lofty and imposing; action high, pronounced and equal to a mile in four minutes; to be shown in harness without check or blinders; blood elements not essential, but valuable; symmetry and style indispensable; judgment to be awarded on a well considered scale of points.

ALFALFA.

W. W. Bliss, of Missouri, gives in Colman's Rural World his views on Alfalfa. As he has made a success of it, and thinks so favorably of it as a forage crop, we condense his remarks. He selects a clean piece of bottom or upland, and after thoroughly pulverizing he sows from fifteen to twenty pounds of seed per acre between April 15 and 25, and brushes in lightly and then rolls the ground. The plant has so long a tap root that it is not easily checked by drouth, hence he mows two or three crops each season. In most favorable seasons he can take off a hay crop every six weeks from the third week in May to November 15, but for soiling it may be cut every three weeks from May 1 to December 1. Any of the crops will produce seed, but as the first spring crop may have some weeds with it the second crop will be cleanest and best. It shades the ground too much to thicken up by self-sowing, hence thick seeding is most desirable. As to quality of product, he knows of no forage equal to it, bulk for bulk, and it excels, too, in certainty. He was brought up in the Valley of the Connecticut, and never there fed grass equal to his Alfalfa in Missouri. He has tried it five seasons and considers it the most permanent of meadows. It comes to us from California, and from Chili, but it has been raised for hundreds of years in France and Germany. It will stand more severe drouths than will red clover, and will prove an especial blessing to dairymen. He wonders why it is not more extensively raised. We suggest that it is more trouble to start than clover or timothy, and farmers like the crop easily started.

EXCELLENCE IN FOWLS AND EGGS.

At present little encouragement is given poultry-raisers in this country to produce extra fine fowls and eggs. Little attention is given to the matter of quality in either article. In many cases little or no attention is paid to quantity, as expressed by a given weight. Chickens, a name which includes fowls varying in age from ten weeks to as many years, are not unfrequently sold by the pair or dozen. Where this singular custom prevails in trade fowls that weigh two pounds each bring as much as those that weigh six or seven pounds. Of course, the effect of this method of selling fowls is to encourage poultry-raisers to produce small fowls, as they will eat less food, and be cheaper to send to market, while they will sell for as much as those that will weigh twice as much.

In every State in the Union except California eggs are sold by the dozen instead of by weight. There is as good reason for weighing eggs as for weighing fish, mutton chops or any other article sold for food. Eggs vary as much in size as apples, pears, melons and squashes do. A dozen Brahma eggs will not unfrequently weigh six or seven ounces more than the same number laid by some of the smaller varieties of fowls. Farmers who keep hens for the purpose of producing eggs find it to their advantage to breed such as will lay a large number of eggs, but there is no inducement for them to strive to have very large eggs to sell. A dozen eggs laid by bantams or small game fowls will sell for as much as a dozen laid by Brahma or Spanish fowls. As the trade in eggs is at present conducted, the farmer who studies his individual interests will sort out the large eggs laid by his fowls for home consumption and send the small ones to market. A change in the manner of selling eggs would cause him, perhaps, to pursue a contrary course, or to keep only such breeds of hens as produced very large eggs. No branch of trade is conducted as it should be which does not hold out inducements to the producer to send to market the best he can produce. Farmers and others who keep hens should be encouraged to breed stock that will produce large eggs and eggs of superior quality, for it is a fact well-known to persons who have given critical attention to the matter that the quality of eggs differs quite as much as that of any article used as food.

As the trade in poultry is now conducted a farmer will generally realize as much or nearly as much for a lot of old hens of no breed in particular, but which have outlived their usefulness as egg-producers, as for a lot of young fowls of one of the breeds most famed for the fineness and delicacy of their flesh, and which have been very carefully fattened. Some of the best egg-producing breeds of fowls never have specimens at any age that are not scrawny. Their flesh is hardly better than that of the crow or hawk. Still they sell in the market at the same price that fowls of the best table breeds command. Till farmers and other poultry-raisers are encouraged to do differently they will continue to send inferior fowls to market, for the simple reason that it pays to do so.

In England and France poultry dealers make very fine distinctions in the quality of the fowls they handle, and fix the price according to the breed, age and condition of the individual birds offered for sale. In the London market young Aylesbury ducks, well fattened Toulouse geese, and very fine Dorking capons bring four or five times the price that common fowls command. In Paris a distinction is made not only between the different herds but between different specimens of the same herd.

Household Recipes.

SYRUP FOR CAKES.—Take a cupful of C sugar and put a cupful of water to it and put on the fire; stir until dissolved; then let boil about ten minutes and you will have a more wholesome syrup than you can buy.

DOUGHNUTS—One and a half pints of milk; one pint bowl sugar heaped; one-half pint butter and lard mixed, or all butter; three eggs; one-half teaspoon soda; wine glass brandy; one cake compressed yeast; when light put in eggs and soda and let them stand over night.

CHEAP INDIAN PUDDING.—Stir gradually half a pint of Indian meal to a quart of boiling milk or water; add a teaspoonful of salt, and one of ginger, a teacupful of chopped suet or half as much butter, half a nutmeg grated, one egg, a teacupful of sugar or molasses; bake two hours.

PLUM PUDDING.—One cup of milk, one cup of molasses, one cup of suet, chopped; one cup of raisins, one cup of currants, one teaspoonful each of soda, salt, cloves, cinnamon, and nutmeg; flour enough to make as stiff as fruit cake; boil three hours. It may be boiled in a small tin pail covered tight and set in a pot of boiling water, the water to be added from the tea-kettle as it boils away.

MINCE-MEAT.—Two pounds of beef, boiled and chopped; three pounds of suet, chopped; four pounds of apples, chopped; three pounds of currants, two pounds of raisins, one and a half pounds of sugar, the juice of four lemons, the grated peel of two, mace, cinnamon, cloves, allspice and nutmeg to suit the taste; one pint of white wine, half a pint of port wine, and half a pint of brandy. The wine and brandy may be omitted and sweet cider substituted.

OX-TAIL SOUP.—Take three ox-tails and cut them through the joints; wash carefully and dry with a towel; heat two ounces of clarified drippings and brown the ox-tails with a finely chopped onion; then add a heaping teaspoonful of flour, rubbed gradually in through the sifter and browned; string to keep it smooth; put the ox-tail, onion, and browned flour with three quarts of cold water in your soup-pot; a carrot cut in inch slices; a turnip cut in the same way; two or three pieces of celery cut up; four bay leaves; the same of sage, and a sprig of thyme, half-dozen allspice, four cloves, a tablespoonful of salt, a pinch of Cayenne pepper, and half a saltspoonful of white pepper; let it come to a boil, then put the pot back, covering it, on the stove to simmer steadily for three hours. Just before serving add a tablespoonful of finely chopped parsley, and take out the herbs and spices. If the soup is not a good brown, add a teaspoonful of caramel. For the caramel make four or five lumps of sugar into very dark candy, but do not let it burn, then dissolve the candy in half pint of hot water; this coloring will keep all winter.

BALLET GIRLS.

Poor Creatures, Poorly Paid and Badly Treated.

Joe Howard in Philadelphia Times.

A few evenings since I was sitting in one of the commodious boxes of Col. Goodwin's Opera House, listening to the bird-tones of the graceful *Phœbe* as they pushed through the choral harmonies and flew up and on and out to space, when a pretty-faced ballet-girl drooped, trembled, half fell, and was carried to the wing, where she fainted "dead away." The gay and festive Heverin was vigorously leading the applause, the bland and decorous Bingham was shouting "bravo," the bright-eyed Judge was eager for an encore, and the great assemblage clapped and stamped approval as the bouquet laden Guthrie smiled her thanks from the stage. None of these saw the ballet girl; who ever does see a ballet girl? Strange as it may appear they are human and have hopes and fears, troubles and an occasional pleasure. I thought, as I looked at the line of girls so correctly drawn and strictly watched by stage-manager Scandon, of the hidden melodramas that line could disclose if the girls would speak. In a company of fifty or sixty persons the extremes of life must necessary be touched. Women of grace and beauty and accomplishments leave the domestic comforts, as dear to them as to any other, enter the field of public service and work as the slaves of the cotton-field never dreamed of working. And for what? For fame—how few of them get it. For fun—if you knew the life you would never make that mistake. They work for home, for father, mother, sister and brother. They work for lazy husbands and for crying children. I wonder often, when I see managers who are coining fortunes from the faithful services of their companies, whether they ever give a thought to the real life of their people. In these days of competition and combination the weak ones suffer. I have before me now the case of a well-born, carefully-nurtured girl of phenomenal ability, whose treatment by her manager would scandalize a scoundrel. And if I were to tell it the good people of Philadelphia would make their City of Brotherly Love too hot a place for him were he to ask their patronage. I know of young women who are paid ten to fifteen dollars a week and their traveling expenses, but not their board. How are they expected to live? I don't refer now to the oft-told story of actresses who receive from $50 to $75 a week during a season of forty weeks, and are expected to spend more than half their salary on costumes and get along as best they can during the twelve idle weeks of the year. I don't refer to them, I say, because it's an unpleasant topic and opens into so much and on to so many roads that time and space are not mine in which to do it justice. I write now of the poorer type. And poor they are, I assure you. Wretches in the guise of men flippantly joke about them. Scoundrels insult them and employers sacrifice them. Without chorus singers and ballets no spectacle could be a success, no grand production could be a go. They are part and parcel of the essential structure, but they are not regarded as individualities in any sense. The chorus is an entirety, but for all that it lives and moves and worries and throbs and suffers.

Kind o' think of it the next time you go to the opera.

MISSOURI NOTES.

The "Acorn Mills," Springfield, lately burned, are to be rebuilt.

The Edina high school students have started a little bi-monthly paper.

There are ten suits for divorce on the docket for the May term of Circuit Court in Madison county.

It cost $1 02 each month for each scholar in the public school at Charleston. There are 245 pupils enrolled.

A heavy strike of zinc ore in Center creek, New Carthage—a vein forty feet wide and ten feet deep, has been developed.

A Durham calf in Mississippi county weighed exactly ninety-two pounds when it was eight hours old. The Sentinel thinks that hard to beat.

Jay Gould has bought Major Sherburn's coal mine near Carthage, will rig it up with the best machinery and make it a coal station for the new road.

Several Missouri farmers have lately succeeded in getting excellent sugar from the sap of the box elder. The sugar in such sap is three times greater than in a like quantity of maple sugar sap.

The Poplar Bluff Citizen suggests that a fund be raised to be used in showing strangers who desire to settle the desirable portions of the county. It deprecates the habit of pouncing on the strangers and trying to sell property at high prices.

The Carrollton Common Council has passed an ordinance to prevent minors visiting or hanging about saloons. If such enters a saloon, it is the business of the saloon keeper to order him out, or be liable to a fine; if he doesn't go, he is liable to arrest and a fine.